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All-American

OT Sam Baker

3-Time All-American

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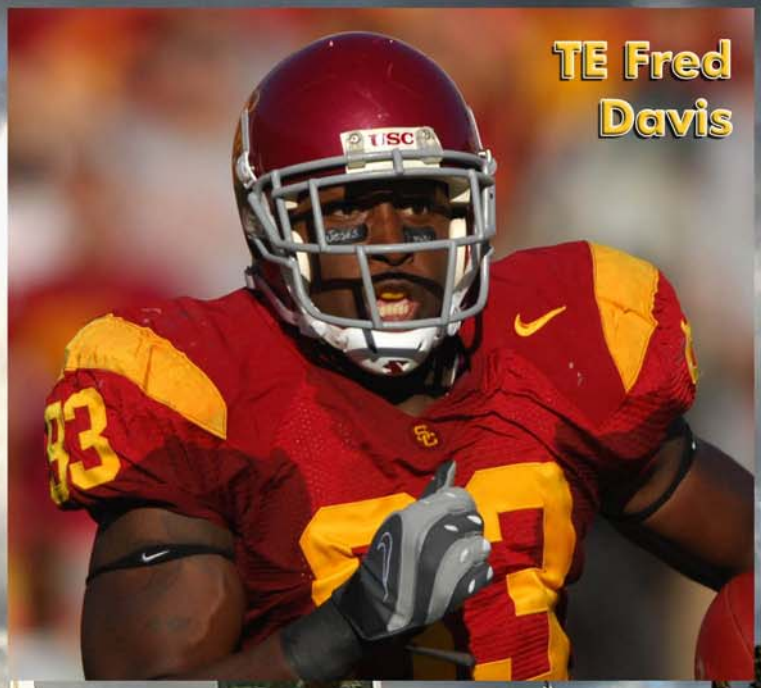
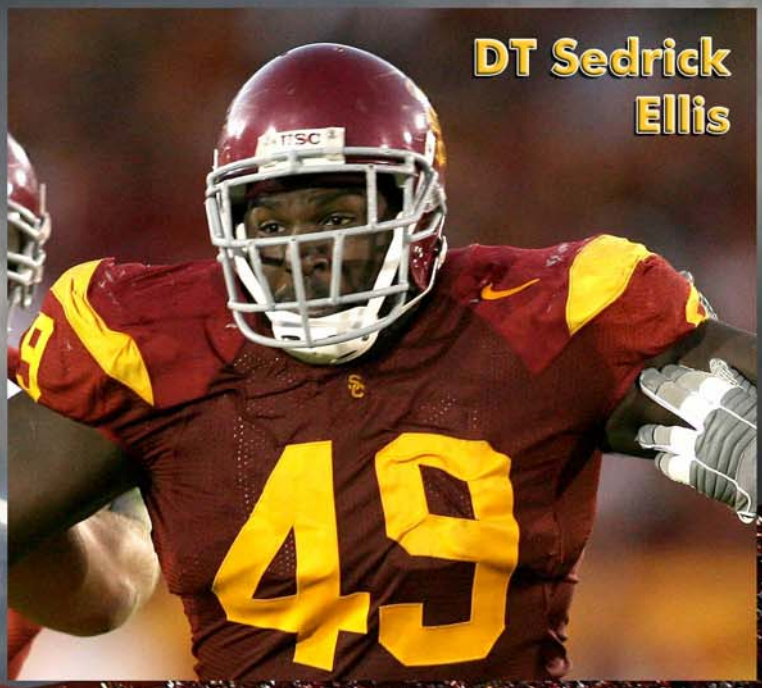
All-American



TE Fred Davis

All-American
2007 Mackey Award Winner

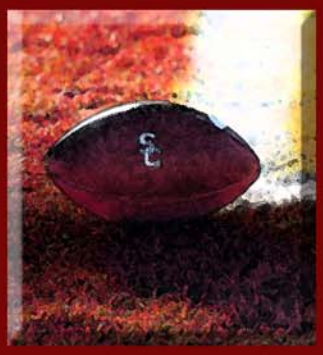


DT Sedrick Ellis

All-American
2007 Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year

Six Consecutive BCS Bowls, Pac-10 Titles, 10-Win Seasons

Trojans



HEAD COACH PETE CARROLL

Nation's Winningest Active Coach

75-14 (84.3%) In 7 Years At USC

AP Top 25 Ranking For Past 78 Games

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38	Idaho	10	34	vs. Missouri (at St. Louis)	40
49	at Nebraska	31	21	Western Illinois	0
47	Washington State	14	41	at Syracuse	20
27	at Washington	24	27	at Indiana	14
23	Stanford	24	27	Penn State	20
20	Arizona	13	31	Wisconsin	26
38	at Notre Dame	0	6	at Iowa	10
17	at Oregon	24	17	Michigan	27
24	Oregon State	3	28	Ball State	17
24	at California	17	44	Minnesota	17
44	at Arizona State	24	28	at Ohio State	21
24	UCLA	7	41	Northwestern	22

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USC ROSE BOWL PRACTICE, HOUSING, INTERVIEW PLANS, MEDIA INFORMATION

USC will practice at Howard Jones Field on the USC campus Dec. 26-31 (tentative times: at 10:30 a.m. on Dec. 26, at 1:30 p.m. on Dec. 27-29, at 2:30 p.m. on Dec. 30 and at 4:15 p.m. in a closed walk-through on Dec. 31). USC's practices are closed to the public, but open to the local and national media. Illinois media are allowed into Howard Jones Field for the first 15 minutes of practice and then again at the end of practice (when 3 horns sound). USC coaches/players are available for interviews on the field after practice (TV can shoot the first 15 minutes of practice only). For further information, please contact USC SID Tim Tessalone (office—213-740-8480, cell—213-725-3572) or assistant SID Paul Goldberg (cell—213-725-3567).

Beginning Dec. 26, USC will stay at the InterContinental Los Angeles Century City Hotel (2151 Ave. of the Stars, Century City 90067, 310-248-6588).

The media headquarters is the Beverly Hilton Hotel (9876 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills 90210, 310-274-7777). The Rose Bowl Press Room is in the hotel's Palm Room, open daily Dec. 26 through Dec. 31 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. A work area is located in the Oakhurst Room, open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., and media hospitality is in the Whittier Room, open daily from 8 a.m. to midnight. Press conferences will be held in the hotel's Wilshire and International Ballrooms.

See page 5 for a complete list of Rose Bowl designated media activities for USC and Illinois.

Illinois arrives on Dec. 26 and is staying at the Hyatt Regency Century Plaza Hotel (2025 Ave. of the Stars, Century City 90067, 310-551-3282). The Illini will practice at the Home Depot Center. For information on Illinois media availability, contact Illinois football SID Cassie Arner (office—217-244-3886, cell—217-390-6564).

For game credentials and other Rose Bowl information, contact Rose Bowl media relations director Gina Chappin (gchappin@rosemail.org, office—626-449-4100, cell—626-399-8751).

USC QUICK FACTS

Location--Los Angeles, Calif. 90089
University Telephone--(213) 740-2311
Founded--1880
Size--235 acres
Enrollment--33,000 (16,500 undergraduates)
President--Dr. Steven Sample
Colors--Cardinal and Gold
Nickname--Trojans
Band--Trojan Marching Band (270 members)
Fight Song--"Fight On"
Mascot--Traveler VII

First Football Team--1888
USC's All-Time Football Record--753-302-54 (70.3%)
Stadium--Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum (92,000 capacity, grass)
Conference--Pacific-10
Athletic Director--Mike Garrett
Head Football Coach--Pete Carroll (Pacific, 1973)
Record at USC--75-14, 7 years
Overall College Coaching Record--75-14, 7 years
Coach's Telephone--(213) 740-4204
Offensive Formation--Multiple
Defensive Formation--4-3

USC: AMERICA'S BOWL TEAM

USC has a remarkable record in bowl games. The Trojans have the nation's sixth highest bowl winning percentage (.644) among the 70 schools that have made at least 10 bowl appearances (behind Utah's .750, Toledo's .700, Penn State's .667, Boston College's .667 and Oklahoma State's .647). USC is just 1 win behind Alabama for most bowl victories, 30 to 29. Troy's 45 bowl appearances rank fourth behind only Alabama (54), Tennessee (46) and Texas (46). USC once won 9 consecutive bowl games (the 1923-30-32-33-39-40-44-45 Rose Bowls and 1924 Christmas Festival); only Florida State has won more in a row (11).

USC's overall post-season record is 29-16.

The Trojans were a bowl participant each year they were eligible from 1972 to 1990. Troy has appeared in an unprecedented 31 Rose Bowls, where it has a 22-9 mark (.710). That's not only the most Rose Bowl wins of any team, but also the most wins by a school in a single bowl. USC has won 9 of its last 12 Rose Bowls. USC has also appeared in 11 other bowls—the Christmas Festival, Liberty Bowl, Bluebonnet Bowl, Fiesta Bowl, Aloha Bowl, Florida Citrus Bowl, Sun (John Hancock) Bowl (twice), Freedom Bowl (twice), Cotton Bowl, Las Vegas Bowl and Orange Bowl (twice).

USC'S ROSE BOWL RECORD

1923—USC 14, Penn State 3
1930—USC 47, Pittsburgh 14
1932—USC 21, Tulane 12
1933—USC 35, Pittsburgh 0
1939—USC 7, Duke 3
1940—USC 14, Tennessee 0
1944—USC 29, Washington 0
1945—USC 25, Tennessee 0
1946—Alabama 34, USC 14
1948—Michigan 49, USC 0
1953—USC 7, Wisconsin 0
1955—Ohio State 20, USC 7
1963—USC 42, Wisconsin 37
1967—Purdue 14, USC 13
1968—USC 14, Indiana 3
1969—Ohio State 27, USC 16
1970—USC 10, Michigan 3
1973—USC 42, Ohio State 17
1974—Ohio State 42, USC 21
1975—USC 18, Ohio State 17
1977—USC 14, Michigan 6
1979—USC 17, Michigan 10
1980—USC 17, Ohio State 16
1985—USC 20, Ohio State 17
1988—Michigan State 20, USC 17
1989—Michigan 22, USC 14
1990—USC 17, Michigan 10
1996—USC 41, Northwestern 32
*2004—USC 28, Michigan 14
*2006—Texas 4, USC 38 (BCS Championship Game)
*2007—USC 32, Michigan 18

USC'S RECORD IN OTHER BOWLS

1924—USC 20, Missouri 7 (Christmas Festival)
1975—USC 20, Texas A&M 0 (Liberty Bowl)
1977—USC 47, Texas A&M 28 (Bluebonnet Bowl)
1982—Penn State 26, USC 10 (Fiesta Bowl)
1985—Alabama 24, USC 3 (Aloha Bowl)
1987—Auburn 16, USC 7 (Florida Citrus Bowl)
1990—Michigan State 17, USC 16 (John Hancock Bowl)
1992—Fresno State 24, USC 7 (Freedom Bowl)
1993—USC 28, Utah 21 (Freedom Bowl)
1995—USC 55, Texas Tech 14 (Cotton Bowl)
1998—TCU 28, USC 19 (Sun Bowl)
2001—Utah 10, USC 6 (Las Vegas Bowl)
*2003—USC 38, Iowa 17 (Orange Bowl)
*2005—USC 55, Oklahoma 19 (Orange Bowl, BCS Championship Game)
*BCS Bowl Game

ROSE BOWL HISTORY

This will be the 94th version of the Rose Bowl, the "Granddaddy of All Bowl Games." It will be held in the 88,450-seat, natural turf Pasadena stadium. Held in conjunction with the world-famous Rose Parade, the game originated in 1902 and has been held continuously since 1916. Beginning in 1947, the game hosted the champions of the Pac-10 and Big Ten Conferences. The Rose Bowl joined the Bowl Championship Series in 1998 and hosted the BCS National Championship Game in 2002 and 2005. USC has appeared 31 times and Illinois 4 times.

1902—Michigan 49, Stanford 0
1916—Washington State 14, Brown 0
1917—Oregon 14, Pennsylvania 0
1918—Mare Island 19, Camp Lewis 7
1919—Great Lakes 17, Mare Island 0
1920—Harvard 7, Oregon 6
1921—California 28, Ohio State 0
1922—California 0, Washington & Jefferson 0
1923—USC 14, Penn State 3
1924—Washington 14, Navy 14
1925—Notre Dame 27, Stanford 10
1926—Alabama 20, Washington 19
1927—Stanford 7, Alabama 7
1928—Stanford 7, Pittsburgh 6
1929—Georgia Tech 8, California 7
1930—USC 47, Pittsburgh 14
1931—Alabama 24, Washington State 0
1932—USC 21, Tulane 12
1933—USC 35, Pittsburgh 0
1934—Columbia 7, Stanford 0
1935—Alabama 29, Stanford 13
1936—Stanford 7, SMU 0
1937—Pittsburgh 21, Washington 0
1938—California 13, Alabama 0
1939—USC 7, Duke 3
1940—USC 14, Tennessee 0
1941—Stanford 21, Nebraska 13
1942—Oregon State 20, Duke 16
1943—Georgia 9, UCLA 0
1944—USC 29, Washington 0
1945—USC 25, Tennessee 0
1946—Alabama 34, USC 14
1947—Illinois 45, UCLA 14
1948—Michigan 49, USC 0
1949—Northwestern 20, California 14
1950—Ohio State 17, California 14
1951—Michigan 14, California 6
1952—Illinois 40, Stanford 7
1953—USC 7, Wisconsin 0
1954—Michigan State 28, UCLA 20
1955—Ohio State 20, USC 7
1956—Michigan State 17, UCLA 14
1957—Iowa 35, Oregon State 19
1958—Ohio State 10, Oregon 7
1959—Iowa 38, California 12
1960—Washington 44, Wisconsin 8
1961—Washington 17, Minnesota 7
1962—Minnesota 21, UCLA 3
1963—USC 42, Wisconsin 37
1964—Illinois 17, Washington 7
1965—Michigan 34, Oregon State 7
1966—UCLA 14, Michigan State 12
1967—Purdue 14, USC 13
1968—USC 14, Indiana 3
1969—Ohio State 27, USC 16
1970—USC 10, Michigan 3
1971—Stanford 27, Ohio State 17
1972—Stanford 13, Michigan 12
1973—USC 42, Ohio State 17
1974—Ohio State 42, USC 21
1975—USC 18, Ohio State 17
1976—UCLA 23, Ohio State 10
1977—USC 14, Michigan 6
1978—Washington 27, Michigan 20
1979—USC 17, Michigan 10
1980—USC 17, Ohio State 16
1981—Michigan 23, Washington 6
1982—Washington 28, Iowa 0
1983—UCLA 24, Michigan 14
1984—UCLA 45, Illinois 9
1985—USC 20, Ohio State 17
1986—UCLA 45, Iowa 28
1987—Arizona State 22, Michigan 15
1988—Michigan State 20, USC 17
1989—Michigan 22, USC 14
1990—USC 17, Michigan 10
1991—Washington 46, Iowa 34
1992—Washington 34, Michigan 14
1993—Michigan 38, Washington 31
1994—Wisconsin 21, UCLA 16
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2002—Miami 37, Nebraska 14
2003—Oklahoma 34, Washington State 14
2004—USC 28, Michigan 14
2005—Texas 38, Michigan 37
2006—Texas 41, USC 38
2007—USC 32, Michigan 18

USC FOOTBALL ROSE BOWL NOTES

RANKINGS
USC is ranked sixth by AP and USA Today. Illinois is ranked 13th in both polls.

SERIES
USC leads its series with Illinois, 10-2. The Illini wins came in the first meeting (19-0 in 1935) and then in 1989 (14-13), both in the Coliseum. In between, USC won 9 in a row. In the most recent meeting, the Trojans prevailed in 1996 in Champaign, 55-3, by scoring the game's final 55 points. In that game, Troy had 582 total yards, including 428 passing. Backup QB Matt Koffler threw a 97-yard TD pass to WR R. Jay Soward, still the longest pass play in USC history.

USC IN ROSE BOWL STADIUM
USC is 29-18 in regular and post-season games it has played in the Rose Bowl, including 22-9 in the Rose Bowl game, 5-8 versus UCLA and 2-1 in the 1922 regular season. Incidentally, USC played the first-ever football game in the Rose Bowl, a 12-0 loss to California in 1922.

USC ON NEW YEAR'S DAY
USC sports a 22-9 record in games it has played on New Year's Day, including an 20-6 mark in Jan. 1 Rose Bowls.

JANUARY RECORD
USC has a 31-12 (.721) all-time record while playing in the month of January, including 25-11 in January bowls.

SEASON ENDERS
USC is 62-41-11 (.592) in all season finales.

USC IN BCS GAMES
USC is making an unprecedented sixth consecutive BCS bowl appearance (2003 Orange Bowl vs. Iowa, 2004 Rose Bowl vs. Michigan, 2005 Orange Bowl vs. Oklahoma, 2006 Rose Bowl vs. Texas, 2007 Rose Bowl vs. Michigan, 2008 Rose Bowl vs. Illinois). USC's 6 overall BCS bowl trips is tied for most with Ohio State, Oklahoma and Florida State. USC's 4 BCS bowl victories is tied for most with Ohio State.

USC'S PAST 6 YEARS UNDER CARROLL
Seventh-year USC head coach **Pete Carroll** has a system in place that has made the past 6 years (since 2002) glorious ones for the Trojans:

—Five AP Top 4 finishes, including national championships in 2003 and 2004;
—Six BCS bowl appearances;
—Six Pac-10 championships;
—Five seasons with at least 11 victories (only Nebraska 1993-97, Florida State 1996-2000 and Oklahoma 2000-04 have done that);
—No-longer-active win streaks for home games (35), overall games (34), Pac-10 games (27), Pac-10 home games (24), road games (18), non-conference games (16), games against AP Top 25 teams (16) and Pac-10 road games (13);
—A winning record of 90.8% (69-7), including 11-1 against traditional rivals Notre Dame and UCLA;
—An AP Top 25 ranking for the past 78 games, a school record;
—66 wins in the last 72 games, with the losses coming by just 20 points (the first by 3 points in triple overtime at California in 2003, the second by 3 points in the final 19 seconds to Texas in the 2006 Rose Bowl's BCS Championship Game to fall just short of an unprecedented third consecutive national championship, the third by 2 points on a failed 2-point conversion pass with 7 seconds to play at Oregon State in 2006, the fourth by 4 points at UCLA in 2006 to deny Troy an appearance in a third straight BCS Championship Game, the fifth by 1 point at home to Stanford and the sixth by a TD at No. 5 Oregon);
—A no-longer-active national-record 63 straight 20-point games;
—A no-longer-active national-record 33 consecutive weeks as AP's No. 1-ranked team;
—A no-longer-active school record 63 consecutive games ranked in the AP Top 10;
—Twenty-six victories over AP Top 25 teams (26-4 overall, 86.7%);
—Twenty-nine All-American first teamers;
—Three Heisman Trophy winners;
—Thirty NFL draft picks, including 7 first rounders;
—Five Top 5 recruiting classes.

WIN STREAKS
USC owns several active winning streaks:

—non-conference home games (11);
—non-conference road games (8, not including 4 neutral site wins and 1 neutral site loss);
—September games (14)
—November games (23).

HIGH RANKING
USC has been ranked in the AP Top 25 for its past 78 games, a school record. Troy has been in the AP Top 10 for 66 of its past 70 games, including a since-snapped school record of 62 consecutive games. The Trojans have been in the AP Top 5 in 68 of the last 81 polls (including 4 pre-season polls).

USC'S WINNINGEST 5, 4, 3, 2 AND 1 YEAR SPANS
USC's 59 wins during the previous 5 years (11 in 2002, 12 in 2003, 13 in 2004, 12 in 2005 and 11 in 2006) is the winningest 5-year period in Trojan history. Its 48 wins during the 4-year spans of both 2002-05 and 2003-2006 tied for its best 4-year spans. Troy's 37 wins from 2003-05 represented the winningest 3-year period in Trojan history. Also, USC's 25 wins during the 2-year spans of both 2003-04 and 2004-05 tied for its best 2-year spans. And USC posted its first 13-win season in 2004, its eighth perfect (unbeaten, untied) season ever.

USC'S PAC-10 TITLES
After sharing the Pac-10 championship in 2002, USC won the 2003 Pac-10 title outright (its first outright crown since 1989) and again in 2004 and 2005 before sharing it in 2006 and 2007. Those 6 consecutive conference titles are unprecedented in Pac-10 history. USC has won the league title 37 times, more than twice as much as any other school.

INJURED TROJANS
This season, 12 starters or projected starters have missed games with injuries: S-CB **Josh Pinkard** (12 games), TB **C.J. Gable** (9 games), C **Kristofer O'Dowd** (4 games), C **Matt Spanos** (3 games), LB **Brian Cushing** (3 games), OG **Chilo Rachal** (3 games), QB **John David Booty** (3 games), OT **Sam Baker** (3 games), CB **Shareece Wright** (2 games), CB **Cary Harris** (1 game), WR **Patrick Turner** (1 game) and TB **Chauncey Washington** (1 game). Also, a number of key backups have missed games due to injuries: TB **Broderick Green** (12 games), CB **Kevin Thomas** (12 games), TE **Jimmy Miller** (11 games), LB **Chris Galippo** (9 games), WR **Travon Patterson** (8 games), OG-C **Nick Howell** (6 games), OT **Charles Brown** (3 games), TB **Stafon Johnson** (2 games), OT **Butch Lewis** (2 games), WR **Brad Walker** (1 game), QB **Mark Sanchez** (1 game), S **Will Harris** (1 game) and CB **Vincent Joseph** (1 game). Pinkard, Gable, Thomas, Galippo and Patterson have season-ending injuries.

CONNECTIONS
USC has just 1 player from Illinois—walk-on OT **Will Mullen** prepped at Carmel Catholic High in Mundelein, Ill.—while Illinois no players from California (although LB **Antonio Steele** attended Long Beach City College)…USC offensive line coach **Pat Ruel** was the assistant head coach/offensive coordinator/offensive line coach at Northern Illinois for 3 seasons (1985-87)…USC defensive line coach **David Watson** played defensive end 3 seasons (1997-99) at Western Illinois, where he was an All-Gateway Conference selection each season (and a 1998 All-American first teamer) as he set school records for season and career tackles for loss…Illinois LB **Antonio Steele** is the brother of former USC linebacker Markus Steele (1999-2000)…Illinois receivers coach **Kurt Beathard** is the nephew of former USC quarterback Pete Beathard (1961-63)…USC president **Steven B. Sample** is a 3-time graduate of Illinois, having earned his bachelor's (1962), master's (1963) and doctorate (1965) degrees in electrical engineering there and he received the Illini's Alumni Achievement Award in 1994; he was at Illinois when the 1963 Illini squad—coached by Pete Elliot and led by linebacker Dick Butkus and fullback Jim Grabowski—beat Washington, 17-7, in the 1964 Rose Bowl…Former Illinois head coach **Bob Blackman** (1971-76), a member of the College Football Hall of Fame, was on USC's freshman football team in 1938 and then was a student assistant coach at Troy from 1939 to 1941.

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USC VS. BIG TEN

USC is 64-27-2 against Big Ten competition, including 16-9 in bowl meetings. USC has won its last 6 games, 27 of its last 35 and 34 of its last 43 against Big Ten opponents. USC last faced a Big Ten foe in the 2007 Rose Bowl, when the No. 8 Trojans defeated No. 3 Michigan, 32-18. Illinois, on the other hand, is 26-43 against the Pac-10 (its most recent meeting against a Pac-10 foe was a 35-20 loss at California in 2005) and has dropped its last 4 games against Pac-10 foes.

ILLINOIS BOWL HISTORY

Illinois has appeared in 14 post-season bowls, sporting a 6-8 record (.429). Its most recent bowl berth was the 2002 Sugar Bowl (a 47-34 loss to LSU). The Illini are 3-1 in the Rose Bowl, last appearing in the 1984 game (a 45-9 loss to UCLA). Illinois' Rose Bowl wins came in the 1947-52-64 games.

USC-ILLINOIS STAT COMPARISON

	USC	Illinois
Rushing Offense	185.0	266.2
Passing Offense	233.4	157.2
Total Offense	418.4	423.3
Scoring Offense	31.3	28.8
Rushing Defense	79.2	114.5
Passing Defense	179.7	240.9
Total Defense	258.8	355.4
Scoring Defense	15.9	19.5
Turnover Margin	-0.1	+0.1

ALL-AMERICANS

In 2007, USC had 5 players named All-American first teamers, the fifth year in a row that Troy has had at least 5 such honorees. OT **Sam Baker** (Walter Camp, Phil Steele's) was named an All-American first teamer for the third straight year, joining LB Richard Wood (1972-74) and QB Matt Leinart (2003-05) as USC's only 3-time All-Americans. DT **Sedrick Ellis** (AP, Football Coaches, Football Writers, Walter Camp, The Sporting News, SI.com, Pro Football Weekly) was named an All-American first teamer for the second consecutive year. TE **Fred Davis** (The Sporting News, Phil Steele's), LB **Keith Rivers** (SI.com, Pro Football Weekly) and S **Taylor Mays** (The Sporting News) were also All-American first team picks. They become USC's 147th, 148th, 149th, 150th and 151st All-American first teamers. Additionally, DE **Everson Griffen** (The Sporting News, Rivals.com, Scout.com) and C **Kristofer O'Dowd** (Scout.com) were Freshmen All-American first teamers.

ALL-PAC-10

DT **Sedrick Ellis** was named the 2007 Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year and 7 other Trojans were named to the All-Pac-10 first team. USC's 8 first team selections were the most of any school. In all, 18 Trojans made the All-Pac-10 first team, second team or honorable mention. Ellis is USC's fifth Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year, joining linebackers Duane Bickett (1984), Junior Seau (1989) and Chris Claiborne (1998) and defensive tackle Shaun Cody (2004). USC had 5 repeaters on the All-Pac-10 first team. OT **Sam Baker** was named for the third consecutive year. Ellis (a unanimous selection in 2007) and LBs **Rey Maualuga** and **Keith Rivers** repeated from last year. DE **Lawrence Jackson** was a first teamer in 2005. Joining them on the first team were TE **Fred Davis**, OG **Chilo Rachal** and S **Kevin Ellison**. CB **Terrell Thomas** made the All-Pac-10 second team for the second year in a row. Nine Trojans were honorable mention All-Pac-10ers: LB **Brian Cushing**, DE **Everson Griffen**, CB **Cary Harris**, S **Taylor Mays**, TB/PR **Joe McKnight**, OT **Drew Radovich**, C **Matt Spanos**, TB **Chauncey Washington** and LB **Thomas Williams**.

LOOKING TO 2007

On USC's current 48-man 2-deep (including the punter and kicker), 34 players (14 offense, 16 defense, 4 specialists) are non-seniors, including 14 starters (5 offense, 7 defense, 2 kickers). And that does not include 3 underclass potential starters who are injured. Here's the schedule those returnees will play in 2008:

Aug. 30	at Virginia
Sept. 13	Ohio State
Sept. 25	at Oregon State
Oct. 4	Oregon
Oct. 11	Arizona State
Oct. 18	at Washington State
Oct. 25	at Arizona
Nov. 1	Washington
Nov. 8	California
Nov. 15	at Stanford
Nov. 29	Notre Dame
Dec. 6	at UCLA

SCHEDULE

USC's 2007 schedule features 7 opponents who were in bowls last season, including 4 who won at least 9 games. The Trojans opened their 2007 campaign at home against Idaho, a team they last played in 1929. Troy then made its first visit to Nebraska since 1969 before embarking on a full slate of Pac-10 play. This year, USC hosted Washington State, Stanford, Arizona, Oregon State and UCLA and traveled to Washington, Oregon, California and Arizona State (on Thanksgiving). Midway through that Pac-10 schedule was a visit to Notre Dame, a rival USC has beaten the past 6 years. Troy now plays Big Ten runner-up Illinois in the Rose Bowl. Tickets to Trojan games were hard to get again this fall. Troy tied a school record with 5 road sellouts in 2007. Last year, for the third straight season, USC set school records for home sellouts (all 6 games in 2006), regular season sellouts (10) and season sellouts (11). In 2006, Troy broke its Pac-10 record home average attendance mark for the fourth consecutive year (91,480) and its Pac-10 record home total attendance standard for the second straight year (548,880).

ON TV

USC is one of America's most televised teams. The Trojans have appeared on live national, regional or local telecasts 372 times, including 238 of the past 240 games (USC's last 79 games have been televised). In fact, USC had an amazing streak of 111 consecutive games on some form of live television from 1988 to 1997 (snapped against Oregon State) and another streak of 48 in a row from 1997 to 2001 (broken against California).

ACADEMICS

Among the top scholars on the 2007 Trojan squad are: WR-QB **Garrett Green** (3.50, business administration), OG-C **Jeff Byers** (3.27, business administration), QB **Mark Sanchez** (3.24), WR-S **Brent Yoshida** (3.16, architecture), S **Robert Erickson** (2.96, business administration), CB **Matthew Jordan** (2.94, communication), SNP **Christian Putnam** (2.94, mathematics), LB **Clay Matthews** (2.90, international relations), LB **Nick Garratt** (2.90, history), FB **Jody Adewale** (2.84, psychology), P **Greg Woidneck** (2.83, business administration), CB **Jim Abbott** (2.83, business administration), WR **Spencer Vigoren** (2.80), CB **Cary Harris** (2.73, health promotion and disease prevention), FB **Cooper Stephenson** (2.73) and WR **Brad Walker** (2.72, public policy, management and planning). Matthews made the 2006 Pac-10 All-Academic second team. In its history, USC football has produced 22 Academic All-American first teamers (tops in the Pac-10 and among the Top 10 in the nation), 20 NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship winners, 12 National Football Foundation Scholar-Athletes, 5 NCAA Silver Anniversary Award winners, 4 NCAA Today's Top Six winners, 1 Rhodes Scholar and 1 Academic All-American Hall of Famer.

FUN FACT I

In 1989, the USC and Illinois football teams almost met in Moscow, USSR, in a regular season game that was to be called the Glasnost Bowl. It was going to be the first football game ever played in the Soviet Union. But the game was moved to Los Angeles several months before it was to be played because of "contract difficulties" with the game's Russian organizers. The No. 22-ranked Illini upset No. 5 Troy, 14-13, in both teams' season opener on Labor Day in the Coliseum, on a pair of late fourth quarter Jeff George TD passes, the second to Steve Williams with 2:19 to play.

FUN FACT II

In its history, USC has had 12 lettermen who claimed Illinois as their home: HB **Marger Apsit** (1928-30) from Aurora (East HS), C **Mercer Barnes** (1949-50) from Aurora (West Aurora HS), T **Jesse Hibbs** (1926-28) was from Lake Forest (Lake Forest Academy), WR **Ryan Kaiser** (2000-01) from Naperville (Naperville North HS), LB **Clay Matthews** (1974-77) from Kenilworth (New Trier East HS), OLB **Steve O'Grady** (1977) from Flossmoor (Mendel HS and Prairie State College), LG **John Pranevicius** (1940-41) from Chicago (Crane Tech), DT **Art Riley** (1973-74) from Phoenix (Thornridge HS and Northwestern), HB **George Shindler** (1921) with an unknown Illinois hometown, QB **Frank Swirles** (1939) from Evanston (he went to high school in Wisconsin), QB **Quincy Woods** (1997) from Richton Park (Rich East HS) and WR **John Zilka** (2005) from Lake Forest (Lake Forest HS). Barnes transferred to USC after attending Illinois. Hibbs was a 2-time All-American first teamer (1927-28), while Matthews was a 1977 All-American.

ROSE BOWL DESIGNATED MEDIA ACTIVITIES

Wed., Dec. 26
8 a.m. - Media Center opens at Beverly Hilton Hotel (Palm Room)
10:30 a.m. - USC practice, USC
TBA - Illinois practice, Home Depot Center
2 p.m. - Media opportunities with both teams at Disneyland
Disney media contact - John McClintock - 714-781-4836,
John.McClintock@disney.com

Thurs., Dec. 27
1:30 p.m. - USC practice, USC
TBA - Illinois practice, Home Depot Center
4:30 p.m.-6 p.m. - USC to Lawry's Beef Bowl
Lawry's media contact - Todd Erickson - 310-497-8049,
toer@twinarchermedia.com

Fri., Dec. 28
8 a.m.-10 a.m. - Coordinators and players Press Conference -
at Beverly Hilton (Wilshire Ballroom)
8 a.m.-9 a.m. - USC Defense
9 a.m.-10 a.m. - Illinois Offense
1:30 p.m. - USC practice, USC
TBA - Illinois practice, Home Depot Center
4:30 p.m.-6 p.m. - Illinois to Lawry's Beef Bowl
Lawry's media contact - Todd Erickson - 310-497-8049,
toer@twinarchermedia.com

Sat., Dec. 29
8 a.m.-10 a.m. - Coordinators and players Press Conference -
at Beverly Hilton (Wilshire Ballroom)
8 a.m.-9 a.m. - Illinois Defense
9 a.m.-10 a.m. - USC Offense
1:30 p.m. - USC practice, USC
TBA - Illinois practice, Home Depot Center

Sun., Dec. 30
10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. - Media Day -
at Beverly Hilton (International Ballroom)
8:30 a.m.-9 a.m. - USC
9:30 a.m. - 10 a.m. - Illinois
2:30 p.m. - USC practice, USC
TBA - Illinois practice, Home Depot Center

Mon., Dec. 31
8 a.m.-9:10 a.m. - Head Coaches Press Conference -
at Beverly Hilton (Wilshire Ballroom)
8 a.m.-8:30 a.m. - Pete Carroll, USC
8:30 a.m - Photo opportunity with both head coaches
8:30 a.m.-9 a.m. - Ron Zook, Illinois
10:30 a.m. - USC team photo, Rose Bowl
Noon - 2 p.m. - Kickoff Luncheon, Lot K at Rose Bowl
2 p.m. - Illinois Team Photo, Rose Bowl
4:15 p.m. - USC practice (closed walk-through), USC
TBA - Illinois practice, TBA

Tues., Jan. 1
9 a.m. - Police-escorted media transportation from the Beverly Hilton to the Rose Bowl (additional non-escorted shuttles leave at 11 a.m.)
2 p.m. - ROSE BOWL GAME
(Note: Media shuttles will run from the stadium to the Beverly Hilton for as long as needed after the game)
7 p.m. - Post-game media hospitality - Beverly Hilton (Whittier Room)

NOTE: USC practice times subject to change

USC STATISTICS OF NOTE

WINS

***USC has won 55 of its last 60 games, 66 of its last 72, 67 of its last 74, 69 of its last 77 and 73 of its last 82.

***USC has won at least 10 games in each of the past 6 seasons, a school record.

OFFENSE

***Offensively, USC ranks 17th nationally in sacks allowed (1.3, second in Pac-10).

***Of USC's 63 offensive scoring drives in 2007, 34 took 3 minutes or less (including 23 under 2 minutes), while 14 went 80-plus yards and 17 were 5 plays or less.

***Seven of USC's top 8 rushers are averaging at least 4.9 yards per carry, including 5 at 5.1 or better: Chauncey Washington (4.9), Stafon Johnson (6.4), Joe McKnight (4.9), C.J. Gable (11.0), Stanley Havili (6.4), Desmond Reed (5.1) and Ronald Johnson (6.8).

***USC, which averaged just 128.0 rushing yards in 2006, has been over 200 rushing yards in 6 games in 2007 and is averaging 185.0 this season.

***USC did not punt in the 2007 Washington State game.

***USC is converting 43.5% of its third downs (80-of-184) in 2007.

***Seventeen different players have caught a pass in 2007 and 11 have caught a TD.

***USC's balanced offense has 474 rushing plays and 422 passing plays in 2007.

SCORING

***USC has scored at least 20 points in 77 of its past 80 contests (including a since-broken NCAA record 63 consecutive games, a streak that was snapped in the 2006 UCLA game).

***USC has scored at least 30 points in 52 of its last 70 games.

***USC has scored at least 40 points 37 times under Pete Carroll (including 13 times of at least 50 points).

***USC has outscored opponents 86-42 in the first quarter, 121-49 in the second quarter and 106-31 in the third quarter in 2007.

***Since trailing late in the third quarter at Oregon State in 2006, 33-10, USC has outscored its opponents, 578-255.

***USC has a knack for scoring 20 or more unanswered points (6 times in 2007, 5 times in 2006, 13 times in 2005, 12 times in 2004 and 11 times in both 2003 and 2002).

***During the Pete Carroll era, USC has more than doubled the score of its opponents in the second half of games (1,605 to 756 points).

***Since 2003, USC has scored touchdowns of 20-plus yards 112 times.

DEFENSE

***Defensively in 2007, USC is second nationally in total defense (258.8, first in Pac-10), fourth in rushing defense (79.2, second in Pac-10) and scoring defense (15.9, first in Pac-10) and sixth in pass efficiency defense (99.7, first in Pac-10), plus sixth in sacks (3.3, second in Pac-10), sixth in pass defense (179.7, first in Pac-10) and 24th in tackles for a loss (7.1, sixth in Pac-10).

***USC has held 6 of its 12 opponents in 2007 to 14 points or less (and 10 of the past 19 foes dating back to mid-2006).

***USC has allowed just 8 touchdown passes in 2007, the second fewest surrendered by any team in the nation.

***USC's opponents are averaging just 2.4 yards per rush (third lowest in the nation) and 3.9 yards per play in 2007 (second lowest in the nation).

***USC's 2007 opponents are averaging just 258.8 total yards per game, the lowest Troy has allowed since the 1989 team allowed 238.4.

***USC's 2007 opponents are averaging just 3.87 yards per play, the lowest Troy has allowed since the 1972 team allowed 3.43.

***USC has held 9 of its 12 opponents in 2007 to 260 total yards or less (including 4 foes held to under 200 total yards and 3 of the last 6 foes 176 or less total yards).

***USC has allowed just 28 yards rushing in its past 2 games (16 by Arizona State and 12 by UCLA).

***DE Kyle Moore had 3 takeaways in USC's first 3 games of 2007 (a fumble recovery against Idaho that he forced and interceptions versus Nebraska and Washington State) and he also tipped a pass that USC intercepted at Nebraska.

***USC has intercepted a pass in 57 of the last 74 games.

***USC has scored 78 points following opponent turnovers in 2007 (after 14 of the 24 times it has come up with a turnover); conversely, opponents have scored 62 points following Trojan turnovers (after 10 of the 25 times the opponents have come up with a turnover).

***USC's turnover margin of -0.1 in 2007 and +0.3 in 2006 have been well below the upward trend from each previous year under Pete Carroll (+1.3 in 2001, +1.4 in 2002, +1.5 in both 2003 and 2004 and +1.6 in 2005).

***USC has won the turnover battle in only 6 games in 2007 (Nebraska, Arizona, Notre Dame, California, Arizona State and UCLA).

***USC has held 49 of its last 76 opposing teams to 100 rushing yards or less (10 times in 2007, 6 times in 2006, 5 times in 2005, 8 times in 2004, 10 games in 2003 and 10 times in 2002).

***Only 8 opposing runners have rushed for 100 yards against USC in the past 73 games (California's Adimchinobe Echemandu did so in 2003 with 147, breaking a streak of 16 consecutive games without a 100-yard rusher, Cal's J.J. Arrington in 2004 with 112, Washington State's Jerome Harrison in 2005 with 147, Fresno State's Wendell Mathis in 2005 with 109, Texas' Vince Young in 2005 with 200, Oregon State's Clinton Polk in 2006 with 100, Oregon's Jonathan Stewart in 2007 with 103 and Cal's Justin Forsett in 2007 with 164).

***Under Pete Carroll, USC is 41-2 when holding opponents to less than 300 yards of total offense (the losses were at UCLA in 2006 and to Stanford in 2007).

***Since allowing a 69-yard TD pass in the third quarter of the BYU game in 2004, USC has not allowed a pass completion longer than 45 yards (a span of 177 quarters).

MISCELLANEOUS

***USC has played 3 opponents on the road in 2007 that wore throwback jerseys (Washington in 1960 jerseys, Notre Dame in 1977 jerseys and California in 1975 jerseys) and the Trojans won all 3 games.

***USC received the opening kickoff against Washington State in 2007 after having kicked off to start each of its previous 15 games.

***For the fourth consecutive year, USC ranks last in the Pac-10 in opponent penalty yardage average (44.8).

***USC's overall attendance (962,762) and overall average attendance (80,230) are within range of the school records (1,037,565, 79,813, both set in 2005).

***USC's 5 road sellouts in 2007 tied a school record (also set in 1978-79-80-82-85-2005).

***USC has played before crowds of at least 85,000 in 28 of its past 54 games.

***Seventeen of USC's last 23 home games (including a since-broken streak of 14 in a row) have been played in front of 90,000-plus crowds.

***USC played 7 night games in 2007, tying the school record set in 2004 and 2006.

***USC is 38-4 in the final 6 regular-season games in head coach Pete Carroll's 7 years (the losses were to Notre Dame in 2001 and Oregon State and UCLA in 2006 and Oregon in 2007).

***Thirteen of the 14 losses in the Pete Carroll era at USC were by a touchdown or less (the other was by just 11 points).

TAKEAWAYS

In head coach Pete Carroll's 7 seasons at USC, Troy is +97 overall (235 takeaways and 138 giveaways). Those 235 takeaways since 2001 are the most in the nation. Until the 2006 season, USC was effective in the takeaway department during Carroll's tenure. USC's +1.5 turnover margin over Carroll's first 5 seasons was the best in the nation and its 189 takeaways during that span also were the most. Troy is -0.1 in turnover margin in 2007 (getting 14 fumbles and 10 interceptions while giving away 15 interceptions and 10 fumbles).

YEAR	TO MARGIN (NCAA/PAC)	TAKEAWAYS (INT/FUM)	GIVEAWAYS (INT/FUM)
2007	-0.1 (63T/5)	24 (10/14)	25 (15/10)
2006	+0.3 (38T/5)	22 (11/11)	18 (11/7)
2005	+1.6 (2/1)	38 (22/16)	17 (10/7)
2004	+1.5 (1/1)	38 (22/16)	19 (7/12)
2003	+1.5 (2/1)	42 (22/20)	22 (9/13)
2002	+1.4 (5/2)	36 (17/19)	18 (10/8)
2001	+1.3 (5/1T)	35 (20/15)	19 (12/7)
TOTAL	**—**	**235 (123/112)**	**138 (75/63)**

CARROLL'S DEFENSE

USC's 2007 defensive figures are tops in the **Pete Carroll** era in total defense, second best in rush defense and pass defense and third best in score defense.

YEAR	RUSH D	PASS D	TOTAL D	SCORE D
2001	155.2	175.6	330.8	17.3
2002	83.2	201.8	284.9	18.5
2003	60.2	276.2	336.4	18.4
2004	79.4	199.9	279.3	13.0
2005	130.5	230.4	360.9	22.8
2006	91.1	204.8	295.8	15.2
2007*	79.2	179.7	258.8	15.9

*Thru 12 games

USC RANDOM NOTES

***USC's 2007 team captains, as elected by their teammates during fall camp, are: QB **John David Booty**, OT **Sam Baker**, DE **Lawrence Jackson** and LB **Keith Rivers**. Booty, who also was a captain in 2006, is only the eighth 2-time Trojan captain ever, and just the fifth since 1902-03 (along with Chad Morton in 1998-99, Troy Polamalu in 2001-02, Matt Leinart in 2004-05 and Dallas Sartz in 2005-06).

***Former USC linebacker **Richard Wood**, USC's first 3-time All-American first team football player and a member of the Trojans' 1972 and 1974 national championship teams, was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in New York City this Dec. 4. He then will be enshrined in ceremonies in South Bend, Ind., in the summer of 2008. Wood, nicknamed "Batman," was the first 3-year All-American selectee by AP from the West Coast when he was honored in 1972-73-74. He then played for the NFL's New York Jets (1975) and Tampa Bay Buccaneers (1976-84). USC has 28 former players, 2 ex-head coaches, 4 one-time assistant coaches and a former athletic director in the College Football Hall of Fame.

***Former USC All-American and NFL All-Pro offensive lineman **Bruce Matthews** was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio, this August. He became the 11th Trojan player—more than any other school—in the Pro Football Hall of Fame (there also are 3 former USC assistant coaches enshrined). The 1982 consensus All-American guard started for 3 seasons (1980-82) at Troy and won the Pac-10's Morris Trophy as a senior. A 1983 first round draft pick of the Houston Oilers, he played every offensive line position during his 19 years (1983-2001) with the team (which became the Tennessee Titans), including appearing in Super Bowl XXXIV. The 14-time Pro Bowler and 9-time All-Pro played more NFL games (296) than any non-kicker in history and never missed a game because of injury.

***Head coach **Pete Carroll** has made it a practice to play first-year freshmen at USC. During Carroll's 7 years at Troy, 74 first-year freshmen have seen action at USC (7 in 2001, 12 in 2002, 13 in 2003, 8 in 2004, 11 in 2005, 15 in 2006 and 8 in 2007).

***Sports Illustrated surveyed a starter from each of the 119 NCAA Division I-A schools in the summer of 2007 and asked which coach (besides their own) they would like to play for. **Pete Carroll** received the most votes (28.6%), including a vote from a player in all but one conference.

***QB **John David Booty**, who enrolled at USC in the fall of 2003, is believed to be the first football player to graduate a full year early from high school and enroll at a major Division I-A university.

***USC also currently has 3 players who graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring. TE **Fred Davis** did so in the spring of 2004. S **Kevin Ellison** enrolled at USC in the spring of 2005. And OT **Martin Coleman** enrolled at USC this past spring. Since 1999, 11 Trojans have graduated at least a semester early from high school and come to USC.

***LB **Kaluka Maiava** participated in boxing in high school. DE **Gerald Washington** played tennis as a youth and competed in juniors tournaments. OT **Martin Coleman**, who grew up on the Tongan island of Vavau, played rugby as a youth.

***Before DE **Gerald Washington** entered junior college in 2004, he spent the previous 4 years in the U.S. Navy as a helicopter mechanic.

***DE **Trey Henderson** is believed to be the first Canadian player offered a scholarship to play football at USC.

***OG **Alatini Malu** and FB **Adam Goodman** are USC's only married players. Malu married Alisia Fu'e this summer. Goodman and wife Jessica—she's the daughter of former USC and NFL tight end Mark Boyer—also were married this summer. And tight ends coach **Brennan Carroll** got married this summer. He tied the knot with Amber Willey, a former volleyball player at North Carolina, in Europe and on the AVP beach tour.

***If you can't beat 'em, join 'em. Three current Trojans played against USC in 2006 as members of opposing teams. QB **Mitch Mustain** (4-of-6 passing for 47 yards and an interception, plus a 4-yard TD run) and WR **Damian Williams** (4 catches for 61 yards) played for Arkansas in Troy's 50-14 season-opening road win. PK **Jordan Congdon** (38-yard field goal and a PAT) was on Nebraska's team that lost at USC, 28-10.

***PK **Brad Smith** does not have to sit out the 2007 season after transferring this fall from Davidson because of an NCAA one-time transfer rule that allows transfers to be eligible immediately if they were not recruited by their new school and did not receive a scholarship at their original school. He hit 24-of-33 field goals and 61-of-66 PATs in his 3-year career at Davidson (he redshirted in 2003), including 11-of-12 field goals (tying the school season record) and 30-of-32 PATs in 2006 when he was named to the NCAA Division I-AA Mid-Major All-American first team.

***Who's the fastest among the 2006 Trojans? It might be WR **Travon Patterson** (bests of 10.44 in the 100 meters and 21.41 in the 200 meters), who was fourth in the 2006 California state 100. TB **Joe McKnight** has been clocked at 10.4 in the 100.

***Not only has head coach **Pete Carroll** produced numerous NFL draft picks (32) from his USC teams, but 10 of his Trojan assistant coaches have gone on to the NFL from USC: Lane Kiffin, Norm Chow, Kennedy Pola, Greg Burns, Tim Davis, Jethro Franklin, **Steve Sarkisian** (he has since returned to USC), Carl Smith, DeWayne Walker and Kirby Wilson. Kiffin, Franklin, Smith, Walker and Wilson all previously had NFL experience before coming to USC (as do current assistants **Pat Ruel**, **Todd McNair** and **John Morton**). And **Nick Holt** (Idaho) and Ed Orgeron (Mississippi) both left USC to become collegiate head coaches (Holt now is back at USC after a couple days' detour to the NFL).

***Head coach **Pete Carroll** has his own website, the newly revamped PeteCarroll.com. As part of the site's overhaul, it has joined with the former USCRipsIt.com site to offer an exclusive window into the Trojan football program, complete with an hour-by-hour blog and behind-the-scenes photos and stories. Run by former Daily Trojan sportswriter-turned-USC walk-on wide receiver Ben Malcolmson, the new PeteCarroll.com features a variety of Carroll-related information, multimedia, merchandise, and fan club memberships that include exclusive benefits. Proceeds benefit "A Better LA," the non-profit organization the Carroll helped found to help reduce gang violence in Los Angeles.

***In 2003, head coach **Pete Carroll** helped develop "A Better L.A.," a non-profit group consisting of a consortium of local agencies and organizations working to reduce gang violence by empowering change in individuals and communities. For more information, go to ABetterLA.com.

***USC's current head coaches in football (**Pete Carroll**) and baseball (**Chad Kreuter**) both attended the same high school (Redwood High in Larkspur, Calif.).

***Five Trojans already have received their bachelor's degrees: FB **Jody Adewale**, OG-C **Jeff Byers**, TB **Hershel Dennis** and DE **Lawrence Jackson** from USC and PK **Brad Smith** from Davidson. Adewale (marriage and family therapy) and Byers (business) are working on their master's degrees. Because of his class schedule conflicts, Adewale had to miss football practice on Mondays and Tuesdays in the fall semester.

***The late **Mario Danelo**, who was a record-setting placekicker in his 2 years as USC's starter (2005-06), is being remembered by the Trojans in a variety of ways during the 2007 season. He died in a tragic fall off a cliff near his San Pedro home on Jan. 6, 2007, at the age of 21 (following his junior season at Troy). His jersey number (19) is painted under the goal posts in all 3 end zones on USC's practice fields. A seat in the team meeting room in Heritage Hall is left unoccupied and his photo appears near the football locker room in the building. The Trojans are wearing a sticker on their helmet with his name and number, and no USC player is wearing his No. 19 jersey this season. A banner with his trademark saying ("Living the dream") hangs in view in the Coliseum tunnel and the goals posts at the stadium are protected with black pads with his name on them. His family was honored at the home opener. Danelo only missed two field goals in his career, going 26-for-28, and was 127-of-134 on extra points. He set NCAA, Pac-10 and USC single-season records with 83 extra points and 86 attempts in 2005. He made the Trojans as a walk-on in 2003. In 2005, he received a scholarship and earned the starting kicking job. He made 15-of-16 field goals as a junior in 2006 and led the Trojans in scoring with 89 points. His father, Joe, kicked at Washington State and in the NFL.

***Three USC football-related books have been published this fall. "Tom Kelly's Tales From The USC Trojans" (Sports Publishing), penned with Los Angeles Daily News columnist Tom Hoffarth, documents the 4-plus decades of memories of USC's former television and radio broadcaster. He is a member of the USC and Southern California Sports Broadcasters Association Halls of Fame. "One Night, Two Teams: Alabama Vs. USC And The Game That Changed A Nation" (Taylor Trade Publishing), by Steven Travers, looks at the Trojans' 1970 visit to Birmingham to face the Crimson Tide in a game that helped integrate Southern football. "Saturday Rules: A Season With Trojans and Domers (and Gators and Buckeyes and Wolverines)" (HarperCollins), by Sports Illustrated's Austin Murphy, focuses on USC's 2006 season as proof why college football is better than the NFL.

***Strength and conditioning coach **Chris Carlisle** has beaten cancer. He learned he had Hodgkin's Disease in December of 2000, began radiation treatments in Tennessee (where he was still the Volunteers' associate strength and conditioning coach), was hired by USC in February of 2001, kept his illness a secret except to Trojan head coach Pete Carroll, continued treatments in Tennessee and at USC/Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center and Hospital, then doctors told him in the summer of 2001 that the cancer was in remission. He informed the USC players of his ordeal at the start of fall 2001 camp. He was 1 of 17 nominees for the 2003 Most Courageous Award presented by the Football Writers Association of America and 1 of 11 nominees for the 2005 award.

***OT **Butch Lewis'** real first name is Wendell, DE **Trey Henderson's** is Nolan and offensive line coach **Pat Ruel's** is Golden. TB **C.J. Gable's** initials stand for Carl Jr.

2007 USC DEPTH CHART

OFFENSE

SE —	**1**	**Patrick Turner (6-5, 220, Jr.)**
	9	David Ausberry (6-4, 225, Fr.*)
	48	Brad Walker (6-2, 215, Sr.)
	14	Garrett Green (6-2, 205, So.)
	80	Brandon Carswell (6-2, 175, Fr.)
LT —	**79**	**Sam Baker (6-5, 305, Sr.*)**
	68	Butch Lewis (6-5, 280, Fr.*)
	71	Charles Brown (6-6, 290, So.*)
	56	Alex Parsons (6-4, 285, So.)
LG —	**53**	**Jeff Byers (6-4, 285, Jr.*)**
	70	Alatini Malu 6-4, 330, Sr.*)
C —	**69**	**Matt Spanos (6-5, 305, Sr.*, Sr.)**
	53	Jeff Byers (6-4, 285, Jr.*)
	61	Kristofer O'Dowd (6-5, 300, Fr.)
RG —	**66**	**Chilo Rachal (6-5, 315, Jr.*)**
	70	Alatini Malu 6-4, 330, Sr.*)
	74	Zack Heberer (6-5, 300, Fr.*)
	77	Thomas Herring (6-6, 300, So.*)
RT —	**60**	**Drew Radovich (6-5, 305, Sr.*)**
	71	Charles Brown (6-6, 290, So.*)
	77	Thomas Herring (6-6, 300, So.*)
	67	Michael Reardon (6-5, 265, Fr.)
TE —	**83**	**Fred Davis (6-4, 250, Sr.)**
	89	Dale Thompson (6-4, 255, Sr.)
	86	Anthony McCoy (6-5, 255, So.)
	88	Jimmy Miller (6-5, 250, Jr.*)
	40	Rhett Ellison (6-5, 235, Fr.)
FL —	**7**	**Vidal Hazelton (6-3, 210, So.)**
	8	Ronald Johnson (6-1, 190, Fr.)
QB —	**10**	**John David Booty (6-3, 215, Sr.*)**
	6	Mark Sanchez (6-3, 225, So.*)
	16	Michael McDonald (6-2, 185, Sr.*)
	15	Aaron Corp (6-3, 185, Fr.)
FB —	**31**	**Stanley Havili (6-1, 225, Fr.*)**
	45	Adam Goodman (6-2, 235, So.*)
	35	Jody Adewale (6-0, 230, Sr.*) OR
	39	Alfred Rowe (6-0, 205, Fr.*)
	37	Jordan Campbell (6-0, 225, Fr.)
TB —	**23**	**Chauncey Washington (6-1, 220, Sr.*)**
	4	Joe McKnight (6-0, 180, Fr.) OR
	13	Stafon Johnson (6-0, 210, So.)
	22	Desmond Reed (5-9, 185, Sr.*) OR
	34	Hershel Dennis (5-11, 200, Sr.*) OR
	21	Allen Bradford (6-0, 225, So.)
	26	Marc Tyler (6-0, 215, Fr.)

DEFENSE

DE —	**96**	**Lawrence Jackson (6-5, 270, Sr.*)**
	97	Alex Morrow (6-6, 270, Sr.*)
NT —	**49**	**Sedrick Ellis (6-2, 305, Sr.*)**
	99	Averell Spicer (6-2, 290, So.*)
	44	Christian Tupou (6-2, 275, Fr.)
DT —	**75**	**Fili Moala (6-5, 295, Jr.*)**
	99	Averell Spicer (6-2, 290, So.*)
	90	Derek Simmons (6-4, 275, Fr.*)
	98	DaJohn Harris (6-4, 270, Fr.)
DE —	**84**	**Kyle Moore (6-6, 275, Jr.)**
	93	Everson Griffen (6-3, 265, Fr.)
	81	Gerald Washington (6-6, 260, Jr.*)
SLB —	**10**	**Brian Cushing (6-4, 240, Jr.)**
	41	Thomas Williams (6-3, 235, Sr.*)
	47	Clay Matthews (6-4, 240, Jr.*)
	46	Michael Morgan (6-3, 220, Fr.*)
MLB —	**58**	**Rey Maualuga (6-3, 250, Jr.)**
	41	Thomas Williams (6-3, 235, Sr.*)
	52	Luthur Brown (6-3, 230, So.*)
WLB —	**55**	**Keith Rivers (6-3, 235, Sr.)**
	43	Kaluka Maiava (6-0, 225, Jr.)
	6	Malcolm Smith (6-2, 215, Fr.)
CB –	**7**	**Cary Harris (6-0, 180, Jr.)**
	24	Shareece Wright (6-0, 180, So.)
	9	Mozique McCurtis (6-1, 225, Jr.*)
FS —	**2**	**Taylor Mays (6-4, 225, So.)**
	27	Marshall Jones (6-0, 185, Fr.)
SS —	**4**	**Kevin Ellison (6-1, 225, Jr.)**
	26	Will Harris (6-1, 205, So.*)
CB —	**28**	**Terrell Thomas (6-1, 200, Sr.*)**
	24	Shareece Wright (6-0, 180, So.)
	23	Vincent Joseph (5-10, 180, So.)

SPECIALISTS

P —	**44**	**Greg Woidneck (6-0, 200, Jr.*)**
	25	Billy O'Malley (6-1, 190, Fr.*)
PK —	**18**	**David Buehler (6-2, 225, Jr.)**
	30	Joe Houston (5-8, 160, So.)
SNP —	**50**	**Will Collins (6-2, 230, Sr.*)**
	48	Brad Walker (6-2, 215, Sr.)
	63	Christian Putnam (5-11, 210, So.*)
HLD —	**16**	**Michael McDonald (6-2, 185, Sr.*)**
	44	Greg Woidneck (6-0, 200, Jr.*) OR
	14	Garrett Green (6-2, 205, So.)

RETURNERS

KOR —	**8**	**Ronald Johnson (6-1, 190, Fr.) AND**
	22	**Desmond Reed (5-9, 185, Sr.*)**
	23	Vincent Joseph (5-10, 180, So.)
PR —	**22**	**Desmond Reed (5-9, 185, Sr.*) OR**
	4	**Joe McKnight (6-0, 180, Fr.)**

2007 USC FOOTBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Hgt.	Wgt.	Birthday	Cl.(Ath/Ac)	Exp.	Hometown (High School/JC/College)
1	TURNER, Patrick	WR	6-5	220	5/19/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Nashville, TN (Goodpasture)
2	GABLE, C.J.	TB	6-1	195	10/19/87	So./So.	1V	Sylmar (Sylmar)
2	MAYS, Taylor	S	6-4	225	2/7/88	So./So.	1V	Seattle, WA (O'Dea)
4	McKNIGHT, Joe	TB	6-0	180	4/16/88	Fr./Fr.	—	River Ridge, LA (John Curtis)
4	ELLISON, Kevin	S	6-1	225	1/8/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Inglewood (Redondo Union)
6	SANCHEZ, Mark	QB	6-3	225	11/11/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo)
6	SMITH, Malcolm	LB	6-2	215	7/5/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Northridge (Taft)
7	HAZELTON, Vidal	WR	6-3	210	1/29/88	So./So.	1V	New York, NY (Hargrave Military Academy)
7	HARRIS, Cary	CB	6-0	180	3/22/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Pacoima (Notre Dame)
8	JOHNSON, Ronald	WR	6-1	190	8/3/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Muskegon, MI (Muskegon)
9	AUSBERRY, David	WR	6-4	225	9/25/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Lemoore (Lemoore)
9	McCURTIS, Mozique	S-CB	6-1	225	12/24/84	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	San Diego (St. Augustine/Grossmont JC)
10	BOOTY, John David	QB	6-3	215	1/3/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Shreveport, LA (Evangel Christian)
10	CUSHING, Brian	LB	6-4	240	1/24/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Park Ridge, NJ (Bergen Catholic)
13	JOHNSON, Stafon	TB	6-0	210	2/6/88	So./So.	1V	Compton (Dorsey)
14	GREEN, Garrett	WR-QB	6-2	205	5/21/88	So./So.	1V	Chatsworth (Notre Dame)
15	CORP, Aaron	QB	6-3	185	3/6/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Villa Park (Orange Lutheran)
15	THOMAS, Kevin	CB	6-1	185	9/20/86	Jr./Jr.	2V	Oxnard (Rio Mesa)
16	McDONALD, Michael	QB	6-2	185	5/11/85	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Newport Beach (Newport Harbor)
16	MUSTAIN, Mitch	QB	6-3	205	2/27/88	So./So.	TR	Springdale, AR (Springdale/ Arkansas)
17	PATTERSON, Travon	WR	5-10	175	9/20/88	So./So.	1V	Long Beach (Poly)
17	BREUER, Jon	QB	6-1	205	1/16/87	So.*/Jr.	TR	Portland, OR (Jesuit/Assumption)
18	BUEHLER, David	PK	6-2	225	2/5/87	Jr./Jr.	1V	Anaheim (Canyon/Santa Ana JC)
18	WILLIAMS, Damian	WR	6-1	190	5/26/88	So./So.	TR	Springdale, AR (Springdale/ Arkansas)
21	BRADFORD, Allen	TB	6-0	225	8/31/88	So./So.	1V	San Bernardino (Colton)
22	REED, Desmond	TB	5-9	185	6/16/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Temple City (Temple City)
22	ABBOTT, Jim	CB	5-10	175	10/8/85	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	San Marino (Loyola)
23	WASHINGTON, Chauncey	TB	6-1	220	4/29/85	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Torrance (South Torrance)
23	JOSEPH, Vincent	CB	5-10	180	1/20/88	So./So.	1V	Long Beach (Poly)
24	WRIGHT, Shareece	CB	6-0	180	4/8/87	So./So.	1V	Colton (Colton)
25	HARPER, Daniel	CB	5-11	180	6/4/89	Fr./Frx.	—	Rancho Cucamonga (Damien)
25	O'MALLEY, Billy	P	6-1	190	8/19/87	Fr.*/So.	—	Novelty, OH (St. Ignatius)
26	TYLER, Marc	TB	6-0	215	9/27/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Yorba Linda (Oaks Christian)
26	HARRIS, Will	S	6-1	205	12/29/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	Covina (Charter Oak)
27	JONES, Marshall	S	6-0	185	9/7/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Agoura Hills (Oaks Chrisitan)
28	THOMAS, Terrell	CB	6-1	200	1/8/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Alta Loma (Rancho Cucamonga)
29	GREEN, Broderick	TB	6-1	230	5/22/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Little Rock, AR (Pulaski Academy)
29	YOSHIDA, Brent	WR-S	5-10	185	11/22/84	Sr.*/Sr.	SQ	Huntington Beach (Huntington Beach/Arizona State)
30	McWHORTER, Chase	S	5-8	185	10/3/84	Sr.*/Sr.	SQ	Coto de Caza (Santa Margarita)
30	HOUSTON, Joe	PK	5-8	160	9/4/86	So./So.	JC	Redondo Beach (Mira Costa/El Camino JC)
31	HAVILI, Stanley	FB	6-1	225	11/14/87	Fr.*/So.	1V	Salt Lake City, UT (Cottonwood)
34	DENNIS, Hershel	TB	5-11	200	7/12/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Long Beach (Poly)
35	ADEWALE, Jody	FB	6-0	230	2/21/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Los Angeles (Roosevelt)
35	HART, Justin	S	6-0	180	4/3/87	So.*/Jr.	SQ	West Covina (South Hills)
36	PINKARD, Josh	S-CB	6-1	215	4/2/86	Jr.*/Sr.	3V	Oxnard (Hueneme)
37	CAMPBELL, Jordan	FB	6-0	225	6/29/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Corona (Norco)
38	ERICKSON, Robert	S	6-0	190	6/5/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Ojai (Nordhoff)
38	CONGDON, Jordan	PK	5-9	180	12/15/86	Jr./Jr.	TR	San Diego (St. Augustine/Nebraska)
39	ROWE, Alfred	FB-S	6-0	205	2/2/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Los Angeles (Poly)
40	ELLISON, Rhett	TE	6-5	235	10/3/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Portola Valley (St. Francis)
41	WILLIAMS, Thomas	LB	6-3	235	12/25/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Vacaville (Vacaville)
41	LAYNO-MOSES, Aubey	WR	6-1	185	1/20/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Bloomfield Hills, MI (Andover)
42	CRITTENDEN, Omari	CB	6-0	180	4/11/88	So./So.	SQ	Modesto (Johansen/Modesto JC)
42	VAN MUIJEN, Brook	PK	5-11	175	10/21/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Danville (Monte Vista)
43	MAIAVA, Kaluka	LB	6-0	225	3/22/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Wailuku, HI (Baldwin)
44	TUPOU, Christian	DT	6-2	275	5/7/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Sacramento (Grant)
44	WOIDNECK, Greg	P	6-0	200	6/9/86	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	Brea (Brea Olinda/Arizona State/Mt. San Antonio JC)
45	GOODMAN, Adam	FB	6-2	235	6/30/87	So.*/Jr.	JC	HuntingtonBeach(Edison/ SaddlebackCC)
45	SMITH, Brad	PK	6-0	180	11/20/84	Sr.*/Sr.	TR	Danville, PA (Bloomsburg, PA/ Davidson)
46	MORGAN, Michael	LB	6-3	220	1/16/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Dallas, TX (Skyline)

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46	CALCAGNIE, Sean	WR	6-0	190	4/6/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Trabuco Canyon (Tesoro)
47	MATTHEWS, Clay	LB	6-4	240	5/14/86	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Agoura Hills (Agoura)
47	STEPHENS, Scott	WR	6-1	180	2/5/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Pasadena (St. Francis)
48	WALKER, Brad	WR	6-2	215	10/11/85	Sr./Sr.	3V	Tustin (Foothill)
48	JORDAN, Matthew	CB	5-8	175	4/23/87	So.*/Jr.	SQ	Los Angeles (Campbell Hall)
49	ELLIS, Sedrick	DT	6-2	305	7/9/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Chino (Chino)
50	COLLINS, Will	SNP	6-2	230	5/1/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Laguna Beach (Mater Dei)
52	BROWN, Luthur	LB	6-3	230	4/7/87	So.*/Jr.	1V	Lakewood (Lakewood)
53	BYERS, Jeff	OG-C	6-4	285	9/7/85	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	Fort Collins, CO (Loveland)
54	GALIPPO, Chris	LB	6-2	235	4/12/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Corona (Servite)
55	RIVERS, Keith	LB	6-3	235	5/5/86	Sr./Sr.	3V	Lake Mary, FL (Lake Mary)
56	PARSONS, Alex	OT	6-4	285	9/14/87	So./So.	1V	Irvine (Woodbridge)
57	GARRATT, Nick	LB	6-1	230	6/16/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	South Lake Tahoe (South Tahoe)
58	MAUALUGA, Rey	LB	6-3	250	1/20/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Eureka (Eureka)
59	DECKAS, Dan	LB	5-10	215	12/17/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Edina, MN (Edina)
60	RADOVICH, Drew	OT	6-5	305	6/20/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo)
61	O'DOWD, Kristofer	C	6-5	300	5/14/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Tucson, AZ (Salpointe Catholic)
62	CLINCO, David	OT	6-5	270	1/19/87	So.*/Jr.	—	San Marino (San Marino)
63	PUTNAM, Christian	SNP	5-11	210	12/26/85	So.*/Jr.	TR	South Pasadena (South Pasadena/ Pasadena CC)
66	RACHAL, Chilo	OG	6-5	315	3/15/86	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Compton (Dominguez)
67	REARDON, Michael	OT	6-5	265	12/23/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Anaheim (Orange Lutheran)
68	LEWIS, Butch	OT	6-5	280	12/1/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Denver, CO (Regis Jesuit)
69	SPANOS, Matt	C	6-5	305	12/31/84	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Corona (Corona)
70	MALU, Alatini	OG	6-4	330	4/30/81	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Torrance (Torrance/Long Beach CC)
71	BROWN, Charles	OT	6-6	290	4/10/87	So.*/Jr.	1V	Chino Hills (Diamond Ranch)
72	COLEMAN, Martin	OT	6-5	320	7/2/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Huntington Beach (Edison)
73	MULLEN, Will	OT	6-5	230	9/24/86	So.*/Jr.	SQ	Lake Forest, IL (Carmel Catholic)
74	HEBERER, Zack	OG	6-5	300	6/9/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	San Pedro (San Pedro)
75	MOALA, Fili	DT	6-5	295	6/23/85	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Buena Park (Western)
76	HOWELL, Nick	OG-C	6-5	275	10/10/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	Fresno (Bullard)
77	HERRING, Thomas	OT-OG	6-6	300	3/22/85	So.*/Jr.	SQ	Los Angeles (Fremont)
78	WEISS, Andrew	OT	6-9	225	4/11/86	Jr.*/Sr.	—	San Marino (San Marino/ Pasadena CC/UC San Diego)
79	BAKER, Sam	OT	6-5	305	5/30/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Tustin (Tustin)
80	CARSWELL, Brandon	WR	6-2	175	5/22/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Milpitas (Milpitas)
81	WASHINGTON, Gerald	DE	6-6	260	4/23/82	Jr.*/Sr.	SQ	Vallejo (Vallejo/Chaffey JC)
81	VIGOREN, Spencer	WR	6-4	230	3/14/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Dana Point (Dana Hills)
82	SYLVESTER, Duron	WR	6-4	200	3/31/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Los Angeles (Westchester)
83	DAVIS, Fred	TE	6-4	250	1/15/86	Sr./Sr.	3V	Toledo, OH (Rogers)
84	MOORE, Kyle	DE	6-6	275	10/25/86	Jr./Jr.	2V	Kathleen, GA (Houston County)
85	STEPHENSON, Cooper	FB	6-3	215	6/2/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	San Diego (Torrey Pines)
86	McCOY, Anthony	TE	6-5	255	12/28/87	So./So.	1V	Fresno (Bullard)
87	NELAN, Caleb	WR	6-2	200	2/6/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Dallas, TX (Keller)
88	MILLER, Jimmy	TE	6-5	250	3/4/86	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Thousand Oaks (Westlake)
89	THOMPSON, Dale	TE	6-4	255	4/22/86	Sr./Sr.	3V	Corona (Santiago)
90	SIMMONS, Derek	DT	6-4	275	2/16/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Suisun (Armijo)
92	HENDERSON, Trey	DE	6-3	265	10/10/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Vancouver, British Columbia (Vancouver College)
93	GRIFFEN, Everson	DE	6-3	265	12/22/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Avondale, AZ (Agua Fria)
96	JACKSON, Lawrence	DE	6-5	270	8/30/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Inglewood (Inglewood)
97	MORROW, Alex	DE	6-6	270	2/4/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Rohnert Park (Rancho Cotate)
98	HARRIS, DaJohn	DT	6-4	270	1/24/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Inglewood (Serra)
99	SPICER, Averell	DT	6-2	290	4/26/87	So.*/Jr.	1V	Rancho Cucamonga (Rancho Cucamonga)

*Used up redshirt year

HEAD COACH: Pete CARROLL (Pacific, 1973), Seventh Year

ASSISTANT COACHES: Brennan CARROLL, Tight Ends (Pittsburgh, 2001); Nick HOLT, Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line (Pacific, 1986); Demetrice MARTIN, Secondary Graduate Assistant (Michigan State); Todd McNAIR, Running Backs/Special Teams Coordinator (Temple); John MORTON, Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers (Western Michigan, 1997); Ken NORTON JR., Linebackers (UCLA, 1998); Yogi ROTH, Quarterbacks Graduate Assistant (Pittsburgh, 2004); Pat RUEL, Offensive Line (Miami, 1972); Steve SARKISIAN, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks (BYU, 1997); Rocky SETO, Secondary (USC, 1999); David WATSON, Defensive Line (Western Illinois, 2001)

STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH: Chris CARLISLE (Chadron State, 1985)
DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL OPERATIONS: Dennis SLUTAK (Florida State, 1995)

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52	BROWN, Luthur	LB	6-3	230	4/7/87	So.*/Jr.	1V	Lakewood (Lakewood)
18	BUEHLER, David	PK	6-2	225	2/5/87	Jr./Jr.	1V	Anaheim (Canyon/Santa Ana JC)
53	BYERS, Jeff	OG-C	6-4	285	9/7/85	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	Fort Collins, CO (Loveland)
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62	CLINCO, David	OT	6-5	270	1/19/87	So.*/Jr.	—	San Marino (San Marino)
72	COLEMAN, Martin	OT	6-5	320	7/2/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Huntington Beach (Edison)
50	COLLINS, Will	SNP	6-2	230	5/1/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Laguna Beach (Mater Dei)
38	CONGDON, Jordan	PK	5-9	180	12/15/86	Jr./Jr.	TR	San Diego (St. Augustine/Nebraska)
15	CORP, Aaron	QB	6-3	185	3/6/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Villa Park (Orange Lutheran)
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59	DECKAS, Dan	LB	5-10	215	12/17/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Edina, MN (Edina)
34	DENNIS, Hershel	TB	5-11	200	7/12/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Long Beach (Poly)
49	ELLIS, Sedrick	DT	6-2	305	7/9/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Chino (Chino)
4	ELLISON, Kevin	S	6-1	225	1/8/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Inglewood (Redondo Union)
40	ELLISON, Rhett	TE	6-5	235	10/3/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Portola Valley (St. Francis)
38	ERICKSON, Robert	S	6-0	190	6/5/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Ojai (Nordhoff)
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54	GALIPPO, Chris	LB	6-2	235	4/12/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Corona (Servite)
57	GARRATT, Nick	LB	6-1	230	6/16/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	South Lake Tahoe (South Tahoe)
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93	GRIFFEN, Everson	DE	6-3	265	12/22/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Avondale, AZ (Agua Fria)
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74	HEBERER, Zack	OG	6-5	300	6/9/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	San Pedro (San Pedro)
92	HENDERSON, Trey	DE	6-3	265	10/10/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Vancouver, British Columbia (Vancouver College)
77	HERRING, Thomas	OT-OG	6-6	300	3/22/85	So.*/Jr.	SQ	Los Angeles (Fremont)
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58	MAUALUGA, Rey	LB	6-3	250	1/20/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Eureka (Eureka)
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75	MOALA, Fili	DT	6-5	295	6/23/85	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Buena Park (Western)
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97	MORROW, Alex	DE	6-6	270	2/4/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Rohnert Park (Rancho Cotate)
73	MULLEN, Will	OT	6-5	230	9/24/86	So.*/Jr.	SQ	Lake Forest, IL (Carmel Catholic)
16	MUSTAIN, Mitch	QB	6-3	205	2/27/88	So./So.	TR	Springdale, AR (Springdale/ Arkansas)
87	NELAN, Caleb	WR	6-2	200	2/6/87	Fr./Fr.	—	Dallas, TX (Keller)
61	O'DOWD, Kristofer	C	6-5	300	5/14/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Tucson, AZ (Salpointe Catholic)
25	O'MALLEY, Billy	P	6-1	190	8/19/87	Fr.*/So.	—	Novelty, OH (St. Ignatius)
56	PARSONS, Alex	OT	6-4	285	9/14/87	So./So.	1V	Irvine (Woodbridge)
17	PATTERSON, Travon	WR	5-10	175	9/20/88	So./So.	1V	Long Beach (Poly)
36	PINKARD, Josh	S-CB	6-1	215	4/2/86	Jr.*/Sr.	3V	Oxnard (Hueneme)
63	PUTNAM, Christian	SNP	5-11	210	12/26/85	So.*/Jr.	TR	South Pasadena (South Pasadena/ Pasadena CC)
66	RACHAL, Chilo	OG	6-5	315	3/15/86	Jr.*/Sr.	2V	Compton (Dominguez)
60	RADOVICH, Drew	OT	6-5	305	6/20/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo)
67	REARDON, Michael	OT	6-5	265	12/23/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Anaheim (Orange Lutheran)
22	REED, Desmond	TB	5-9	185	6/16/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Temple City (Temple City)
55	RIVERS, Keith	LB	6-3	235	5/5/86	Sr./Sr.	3V	Lake Mary, FL (Lake Mary)
39	ROWE, Alfred	FB-S	6-0	205	2/2/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Los Angeles (Poly)
6	SANCHEZ, Mark	QB	6-3	225	11/11/86	So.*/Jr.	1V	Mission Viejo (Mission Viejo)
90	SIMMONS, Derek	DT	6-4	275	2/16/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Suisun (Armijo)
45	SMITH, Brad	PK	6-0	180	11/20/84	Sr.*/Sr.	TR	Danville, PA (Bloomsburg, PA/ Davidson)
6	SMITH, Malcolm	LB	6-2	215	7/5/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Northridge (Taft)
69	SPANOS, Matt	C	6-5	305	12/31/84	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Corona (Corona)
99	SPICER, Averell	DT	6-2	290	4/26/87	So.*/Jr.	1V	Rancho Cucamonga (Rancho Cucamonga)
47	STEPHENS, Scott	WR	6-1	180	2/5/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Pasadena (St. Francis)
85	STEPHENSON, Cooper	FB	6-3	215	6/2/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	San Diego (Torrey Pines)
82	SYLVESTER, Duron	WR	6-4	200	3/31/88	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Los Angeles (Westchester)
15	THOMAS, Kevin	CB	6-1	185	9/20/86	Jr./Jr.	2V	Oxnard (Rio Mesa)
28	THOMAS, Terrell	CB	6-1	200	1/8/85	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Alta Loma (Rancho Cucamonga)
89	THOMPSON, Dale	TE	6-4	255	4/22/86	Sr./Sr.	3V	Corona (Santiago)
44	TUPOU, Christian	DT	6-2	275	5/7/89	Fr./Fr.	—	Sacramento (Grant)
1	TURNER, Patrick	WR	6-5	220	5/19/87	Jr./Jr.	2V	Nashville, TN (Goodpasture)
26	TYLER, Marc	TB	6-0	215	9/27/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Yorba Linda (Oaks Christian)
42	VAN MUIJEN, Brook	PK	5-11	175	10/21/88	Fr./Fr.	—	Danville (Monte Vista)
81	VIGOREN, Spencer	WR	6-4	230	3/14/87	Fr.*/So.	SQ	Dana Point (Dana Hills)
48	WALKER, Brad	WR	6-2	215	10/11/85	Sr./Sr.	3V	Tustin (Foothill)
23	WASHINGTON, Chauncey	TB	6-1	220	4/29/85	Sr.*/Sr.	2V	Torrance (South Torrance)
81	WASHINGTON, Gerald	DE	6-6	260	4/23/82	Jr.*/Sr.	SQ	Vallejo (Vallejo/Chaffey JC)
78	WEISS, Andrew	OT	6-9	225	4/11/86	Jr.*/Sr.	—	San Marino (San Marino/ Pasadena CC/UC San Diego)
18	WILLIAMS, Damian	WR	6-1	190	5/26/88	So./So.	TR	Springdale, AR (Springdale/ Arkansas)
41	WILLIAMS, Thomas	LB	6-3	235	12/25/84	Sr.*/Sr.	3V	Vacaville (Vacaville)
44	WOIDNECK, Greg	P	6-0	200	6/9/86	Jr.*/Sr.	1V	Brea (Brea Olinda/Arizona State/Mt. San Antonio JC)
24	WRIGHT, Shareece	CB	6-0	180	4/8/87	So./So.	1V	Colton (Colton)
29	YOSHIDA, Brent	WR-S	5-10	185	11/22/84	Sr.*/Sr.	SQ	Huntington Beach (Huntington Beach/Arizona State)

*Used up redshirt year

HEAD COACH: Pete CARROLL (Pacific, 1973), Seventh Year

ASSISTANT COACHES: Brennan CARROLL, Tight Ends (Pittsburgh, 2001); Nick HOLT, Defensive Coordinator/Defensive Line (Pacific, 1986); Demetrice MARTIN, Secondary Graduate Assistant (Michigan State); Todd McNAIR, Running Backs/Special Teams Coordinator (Temple); John MORTON, Passing Game Coordinator/Wide Receivers (Western Michigan, 1997); Ken NORTON JR., Linebackers (UCLA, 1998); Yogi ROTH, Quarterbacks Graduate Assistant (Pittsburgh, 2004); Pat RUEL, Offensive Line (Miami, 1972); Steve SARKISIAN, Assistant Head Coach/Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks (BYU, 1997); Rocky SETO, Secondary (USC, 1999); David WATSON, Defensive Line (Western Illinois, 2001)

STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING COACH: Chris CARLISLE (Chadron State, 1985)
DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL OPERATIONS: Dennis SLUTAK (Florida State, 1995)

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(Class years are listed athletically/academically, with "*" indicating player who has used up redshirt year.)

(35) JODY ADEWALE
Fullback, 6-0, 230, Sr.*/Sr., Los Angeles, CA (Roosevelt HS)

2007: Adewale appeared briefly in 3 games (Idaho, Nebraska, Washington State, Notre Dame and UCLA) as a reserve fullback as a senior in 2007, but did not carry the ball or make a catch. He did not participate in 2007 spring practice after deciding to forgo his senior season, but changed his mind and rejoined the team in the fall of 2007.

2006: Adewale was a backup fullback as a junior in 2006, although he did start 3 games (Arizona State, Oregon State, Notre Dame). Overall in 2006 while appearing in 9 games (all but Arkansas, Washington State, California and UCLA), he caught 2 passes for 16 yards (8.0 avg.), but did not carry the ball. He had a 6-yard catch against Washington and a 10-yarder versus Oregon.

2005: Adewale was a backup fullback and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2005. He saw brief action in 7 games (Hawaii, Arkansas, Oregon, Arizona State, Arizona, Stanford and UCLA). He made 2 tackles (1 each against Arkansas and Oregon).

2004: Adewale, who was switched from tailback to fullback prior to 2004 spring drills, served as a backup there as a redshirt freshman in 2004. He saw brief action in 5 games (Colorado State, BYU, Washington, Notre Dame and Oklahoma). He caught a 16-yard pass against Washington.

2003: Adewale redshirted as a freshman tailback in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2002 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West honorable mention, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best of the Rest, All-L.A. City second team and Los Angeles Times All-Central City first team** (as a defensive back) selection as a senior at Roosevelt High in Los Angeles (Calif.). He ran for 1,400-plus yards and 26 TDs as a running back and made 27 tackles with an interception as a defensive back.

As a junior in 2001, he made **All-L.A. City, Los Angeles Times All-Central City first team and All-League first team** while running for 1,660 yards and 25 TDs and posting 144 tackles and an interception at linebacker.

He also competed in basketball and track at Roosevelt.

PERSONAL: He has a B- average (2.84 GPA) at USC. He received his bachelor's degree in psychology in the summer of 2007 and is working on his master's degree in marriage and family therapy (because of class schedule conflicts, he missed football practices on Mondays and Tuesdays in the fall of 2007).

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	1	16	16.0	0	16	0	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	0/0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	2	16	8.0	0	10	0	0/0	0	0
CAREER……..	3	32	10.7	0	16	2	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH JODY ADEWALE

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Washington	1	6	6.0	0	6
Oregon	1	10	10.0	0	10
2006 (Jr.)…	2	16	8.0	0	10

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	2	0/0	0	0

2004

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Washington	1	16	16.0	0	16
2004 (Fr.)…	1	16	16.0	0	16

(9) DAVID AUSBERRY
Wide Receiver, 6-4, 225, Fr.*/So., Lemoore, CA (Lemoore HS)

2007: Ausberry started 5 games (Idaho, Nebraska, Washington State, Stanford and UCLA) at wide receiver (split end) and served as an often-employed backup in the other games as a redshirt freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 24 receptions for 212 yards (8.8 avg.) with 1 TD and he made 1 tackle.

He had a game-high 5 catches for 46 yards versus Idaho, then 3 receptions for 35 yards at Nebraska, 2 for 11 yards against Washington State and 3 for 20 yards at Washington. He had an 11-yard catch against Arizona and 3 grabs for 28 yards at Notre Dame. He caught a 14-yard TD at Oregon. He added an 8-yard catch against Oregon State, 2 grabs for 24 yards at Arizona State and 3 for 15 yards against UCLA.

2006: Ausberry redshirted as a freshman wide receiver in 2006, his first year at USC. He won **USC's Service Team Offensive Player of the Year Award**.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2005 Parade All-American, USA Today All-USA first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American second team, U.S. Army All-American Game participant, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools MVP, Fresno Bee All-Area first team and All-West Yosemite League Offensive MVP** as a senior wide receiver, defensive back and punter at Lemoore (Calif.) High. He had 55 catches for 930 yards (16.9 avg.) with 13 TDs and ran for 489 yards on 46 carries (10.6 avg.) with 13 TDs, added 4 interceptions and 2 fumble recoveries, had 17 kickoff returns for 557 yards (32.8 avg.) and averaged 40.8 yards on 43 punts in 2005 as Lemoore won the CIF Central Section Division III title.

As a junior in 2004, he was an **All-League** selection while catching 56 passes for 850 yards (15.2 avg.) with 7 scores and adding 350 rushing yards with 6 TDs.

He received **All-League** notice as a sophomore in 2003 when he had 800 receiving yards and 10 TDs.

He also was on Lemoore's track team, with a best of 22-10 in the long jump.

PERSONAL: His cousin is Tommie Smith, the 1968 Olympic gold medalist in the 200 meters who is long remembered for giving the "Black Power" salute (with John Carlos) on the medal stand.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	24	212	8.8	1	21	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH DAVID AUSBERRY

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	5	46	9.2	0	17
Nebraska*	3	35	11.7	0	21
Wash. St.*	2	11	5.5	0	7
Washington	3	20	6.7	0	9
Arizona	1	11	11.0	0	11
Notre Dame	3	28	9.3	0	13
Oregon	1	14	14.0	1	14
Oregon St.	1	8	8.0	0	8
Arizona St.	2	24	12.0	0	18
UCLA*	3	15	5.0	0	14
2007 (Fr.)…	24	212	8.8	1	21

*Starter

(79) SAM BAKER
Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 305, Sr.*/Sr., Tustin, CA (Tustin HS)

2007: Baker, a 3-time All-American first teamer (making him USC's third-ever 3-time All-American, along with Richard Wood and Matt Leinart) and among the top offensive linemen in the nation, started for his fourth season at left offensive tackle as a senior in 2007. He was named to the **2007 Walter Camp All-American first team, Phil Steele's All-American first team, AP All-American second team, SI.com All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com All-American second team, All-Pac-10 first team (for the third consecutive year), ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team, Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He was **1 of 12 semifinalists for the 2007 Lombardi Award**. He missed 3 mid-season games (Notre Dame, Oregon State and California) after straining his left hamstring against Arizona (and re-straining it at Oregon). He had arthroscopic surgery to remove loose cartilage in his left knee prior to 2007 spring practice. He was named to the **2007 Playboy Pre-Season All-American team** (his second consecutive honor). He was a **USC team captain**. He won **USC's Co-Offensive Lineman of the Year Award**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**.

2006: Baker started for his third year at left offensive tackle as a junior in 2006. He made the **2006 Football Writers, The Sporting News, CBS Sportsline.com and All-American Football Foundation All-American first teams, AP, Walter Camp, Rivals.com, Scout.com Collegefootballnews.com All-American second teams and Pro Football Weekly All-American and SI.com All-American honorable mention**. He also made the **2006 All-Pac-10 first team** for the second consecutive year and the **ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 first team**. He was

named to the **2006 Playboy Pre-Season All-American team**. He won **USC's Co-Offensive Lineman of the Year and Co-Lifter of the Year Awards**.

2005: Baker started all of 2005 for his second season at left offensive tackle as a sophomore and continued his solid play. He was named to the **2005 CBS Sportsline.com All-American first team, AP and Rivals.com All-American third team and SI.com All-American honorable mention** squad. He made the **2005 All-Pac-10 first team**. He made the **2005 ESPN.com All-Pac-10 team**. He won **USC's Co-Lifter of the Year Award**.

2004: Baker, who was switched from offensive guard to tackle prior to 2004 spring practice, started all of 2004 at left offensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2004 and he did an outstanding job. He made the **2004 Football Writers, The Sporting News, Collegefootballnews.com and Rivals.com Freshman All-American first teams, All-Pac-10 second team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team and The Sporting News Freshman All-Pac-10 first team**. He also was **USC's 2004 Offensive Lineman of the Year**.

2003: Baker redshirted as a freshman offensive guard in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2002 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Student Sports All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, USA Today All-USA second team, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, The Sporting News Hot 100, Tom Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division VI first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team, Los Angeles Times All-Orange County first team and Orange County Register All-Orange County first team** choice as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at Tustin (Calif.) High. On defense in 2002, he made 34 tackles, with 2.5 sacks. Tustin advanced to the CIF Division VI semifinals in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he made the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team, All-CIF Division VI first team, Los Angeles Times All-Orange County first team and All-League**.

He also competed in track at Tustin.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His father, David, is the commissioner of the Arena Football League and formerly played basketball at UC Irvine and then professionally in Europe. His brother, Ben, was an offensive lineman at Duke.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	**2**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**

(10) JOHN DAVID BOOTY
Quarterback, 6-3, 215, Sr.*/Sr., Shreveport, LA (Evangel Christian HS)

CAREER: His 493 career completions is fifth on the USC all-time chart. His 5,870 career passing yards is fifth on USC's all-time list. His 5,707 yards of total offense is sixth on USC's all-time ladder. His 52 career touchdown passes is fifth most at USC. In his career, he has thrown at least 1 TD pass in 21 of his 22 starts, at least 2 TD passes in a game 15 times, at least 3 TDs in a game 10 times, at least 4 TDs in a game 3 times and has had 200-plus passing yards in 17 games (4 times with 300-plus yards). As a starter against AP ranked opponents, he is 8-0 while going 160-of-255 (62.7%) for 2,012 yards (251.5 average) with 20 TDs and just 3 interceptions.

2007: Booty returned for his second season as USC's starting quarterback after a stellar showing in 2006. Overall in 2007 while starting 9 games, he completed 190-of-303 passes (62.7%) for 2,106 yards and 20 TDs with 9 interceptions. He also had 20 carries for minus 89 yards (-4.4 avg.) with 1 TD. He missed 3 mid-season games (Arizona, Notre Dame and Oregon) after breaking the tip of his middle finger on his right (throwing) hand in the second quarter of the Stanford game (but he played the rest of that game). After returning from the broken finger, he went 91 pass attempts over a 4-game span without throwing an interception before getting picked against UCLA. His 190 completions in 2007 ranks him 14th on USC's season passing list and his 2,107 yards of total offense is 20th on USC's season chart. He was a **2007 Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick. He was a **USC team captain** (USC's eighth-ever 2-time captain). He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**.

In just 3 quarters of action against Idaho, he was 21-of-32 for 206 yards with 3 TDs and an interception. He was 19-of-30 for 144 yards and 2 TDs (with no interceptions) at Nebraska. Against Washington State, he completed a career-best passes as he was 29-of-36 for 289 yards with 4 TDs (he completed 18 of his first 20 throws). He was 20-of-37 for 236 yards and a TD, but threw 2 interceptions, at Washington. Despite playing with the broken finger, he was 24-of-40 for 364 yards and 2 TDs against Stanford, but threw 4 interceptions (all in the second half). After sitting out the Arizona, Notre Dame and Oregon games because of the broken finger, he returned to the starting lineup against Oregon State and completed 19-of-33 passes for 157 yards and 2 TDs (with no interceptions). He was 11-of-20 for 129 yards and a TD at California. He threw 4 TD passes (completing 26-of-39 throws for 375 yards and no interceptions) and ran for another at Arizona State (he threw for 227 yards in the first half, including 139 in the first quarter on 13-of-16 passing). He completed 21-of-36 passes for 206 yards and 1 TD with 1 interception against UCLA.

2006: Booty was impressive while starting for his first season at quarterback as a junior in 2006 after serving as USC's backup the previous 3 years. He won the starting job despite missing all but the first day of 2006 spring practice with a herniated disk in his back that required surgery in late March (he was healthy throughout 2006 fall camp). Overall in 2006 while starting all 13 games, he completed 269-of-436 passes (61.7%) for 3,347 yards and 29 TDs with 9 interceptions. He also had 33 carries for minus 53 yards (-1.6 avg.) with 1 TD. He was 14th nationally in total offense (253.4, first in Pac-10) and 24th in passing efficiency (144.0, first in Pac-10). He made the **2006 All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 first team**. He is **1 of 11 finalists for the Manning Award** (given to the nation's top quarterback) and was **1 of 15 semifinalists for the 2006 Maxwell Award** (nation's top player) and **1 of 18 semifinalists for the Davey O'Brien Award** (nation's top quarterback). He was a **USC team captain**.

His 269 completions in 2006 was tied for fourth on USC's season passing list. His 3,347 passing yards in 2006 was fifth on the USC season list (15th on the Pac-10 chart), joining Carson Palmer, Rob Johnson and Matt Leinart as the only Trojans to eclipse 3,000 passing yards in a season. His 3,294 yards of total offense in 2006 was fifth on USC's season ladder (15th on the Pac-10 list). His 29 TD passes in 2006 was tied for fourth on the USC season list (tied for ninth on the Pac-10 ladder). He threw a TD pass in 12 of his 13 starts in 2006 (all but UCLA), including 9 games with at least 2 TD throws and 7 with 3 TDs. He threw for at least 200 yards in 11 of USC's games in 2006, including the last 7 in a row.

He was impressive in his debut as a starter, as he completed 68.6% of his passes (24-of-35) for 261 yards and 3 second-half touchdowns at Arkansas (by comparison, his predecessor, 2004 Heisman winner Matt Leinart was 17-of-30 for 192 yards and a TD in his first start in 2003). He then was 25-of-36 for 257 yards and 3 TDs versus Nebraska. He was 24-of-39 for 179 yards and a short TD toss at Arizona, but threw his first interception of the season after 78 attempts. He was 23-of-32 for 269 yards and 3 TDs (with a pick) at Washington State. He hit 23-of-40 passes for 243 yards and a TD (with an interception) against Washington. He was 12-of-25 for 148 yards and 2 TDs against Arizona State, but threw an interception that was returned for a score. He hit 24-of-39 passes for a career-high 406 yards (the fifth most passing yards in USC history; only Carson Palmer 3 times and Mike Van Raaphorst once threw for more) with 3 TD passes and an interception at Oregon State. He was 12-of-21 for 203 yards with 3 second-quarter TDs (21, 7 and 2 yards) at Stanford. He was 17-of-26 for 213 yards with a TD and an interception against Oregon. He hit 18-of-31 passes for 238 yards and a pair of fourth-quarter TDs (25 and 37 yards) against California. He threw 3 TD passes (9, 5 and 43 yards) while going 17-of-28 for 265 yards (with 2 interceptions) against Notre Dame and also ran for a 1-yard score (his first career rushing TD). He was 23-of-39 for 274 yards (with an interception) at UCLA. He completed 27-of-45 passes against Michigan en route to 4 TDs (all career bests, with the 4 TDs tying a Rose Bowl game mark), including a season-long 62-yarder, and his 391 passing yards (eighth most in USC history) were the most surrendered by the Wolverines since 1999.

2005: Booty was USC's No. 2 quarterback as a sophomore in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 10 games (all but Notre Dame, Fresno State and Texas), he completed 27-of-42 passes (64.3%) for 327 yards and 3 TDs with 2 interceptions.

He threw his first career TD pass while hitting 2-of-5 passes while directing USC in the fourth quarter at Hawaii. Against Arkansas, he was 4-of-9 for 60 yards with a TD, then saw brief action at the end of the Oregon game, but did not throw a pass, and played a snap at Arizona State when Matt Leinart was briefly dinged, but he did not throw a pass. He was 3-of-3 for 27 yards while directing the last series against Arizona, then was 5-of-6 for 71 yards with a 31-yard TD toss (and he threw an interception that was returned for a touchdown) while playing the fourth quarter at Washington. He hit 5-of-6 passes for 69 yards while playing most of the fourth quarter against Washington State, then hit 7-of-10 passes for 86 yards while playing most of the second half against Stanford and played the final 2 series at California, but did not throw a pass. He completed a 5-yard pass and had an interception among his 3 throws while playing most of the fourth quarter against UCLA.

2004: Booty was set to be the No. 2 quarterback as a sophomore in 2004. But he suffered a badly bruised right (throwing) elbow in 2004 fall practice, which limited his participation, so he redshirted.

2003: As just a first-year freshman in 2003, Booty—believed to be the first prep football player to graduate a full year early from high school and enroll at a major Division I-A university—emerged as USC's No. 2 quarterback by mid-season. Overall in 2003 while seeing limited backup action in 5 games (Stanford, Notre Dame, Wahsington, Arizona and UCLA), he completed 7-of-14 passes (50.0%) for 90 yards. He broke his left wrist against UCLA, which sidelined him for USC's last 2 games of 2003. He was 1-of-4 for 13 yards against Stanford in his first action as a Trojan, then hit his only pass attempt (a 5-yarder) at Notre Dame, was 3-of-6 for 63 yards at Arizona and 2-of-3 for 9 yards against UCLA.

HIGH SCHOOL: As a junior quarterback in 2002 at Evangel Christian Academy in Shreveport (La..), he led his team to the Class 5A state title while throwing for 4,144 yards and 38 touchdowns while earning **Student Sports Underclass All-American and Class 5A All-State** honors.

He also led Evangel Christian to the Class 5A state title as a 2001 sophomore, passing for 4,330 yards and 50 TDs while being named a **Student Sports Underclass All-American and Class 5A All-State**.

As a 2000 freshman, he completed 9-of-11 passes.

In his career, he threw for 8,474 yards on 555-of-864 passing (64.2%) with 88 touchdowns and 26 interceptions. Because Louisiana rules allow junior high students to compete on high school teams if the school is a kindergarten-through-12th grade school, he actually played some varsity football for Evangel Christian since the seventh grade.

Current Trojan Joe McKnight also prepped briefly at Evangel Christian.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His father, Johnny, played quarterback at Arkansas, Louisiana Tech and Mississippi State, then coached football at Evangel Christian. His brother, Josh, was a quarterback for the Cleveland Browns who played at LSU for 2 seasons (1999-2000) following a 5-year (1994-98) baseball career as an infielder in the Florida Marlins organization (including 13 games in the majors). Another brother, Abram, was a wide receiver at LSU (1997-1999) and Valdosta State (2001).

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2003 (Fr.)…	14	7	0	.500	90	0	33	1	-10	-10.0	0	-10
2005 (So.)…	42	27	2	.643	327	3	31	4	-11	-2.8	0	2
2006 (Jr.)…	436	269	9	.617	3347	29	62	33	-53	-1.6	1	11
2007 (Sr.)…	303	190	9	.627	2106	20	63	20	-89	-4.4	1	9
CAREER…	795	493	20	.620	5870	52	63	58	-163	-2.8	2	11

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Jr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH JOHN DAVID BOOTY

2007

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Idaho*	32	21	1	.656	206	3	35
Nebraska*	30	19	0	.633	144	2	21
Wash. St.*	36	29	1	.806	289	4	25
Washington*	37	20	2	.541	236	1	32
Stanford*	40	24	4	.600	364	2	63
Oregon St.*	33	19	0	.578	157	2	26
California*	20	11	0	.550	129	1	33
Arizona St.*	39	26	0	.667	375	4	34
UCLA*	36	21	1	.583	206	1	27
2007 (Sr.)…	303	190	9	.627	2106	20	63

2006

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Arkansas*	35	24	0	.686	261	3	44
Nebraska*	36	25	0	.694	257	3	21
Arizona*	39	24	1	.615	179	1	22
Wash. St.*	32	23	1	.719	269	3	49
Washington*	40	23	1	.575	243	1	51
Arizona St.*	25	12	1	.615	148	2	27
Oregon St.*	39	24	1	.615	406	3	53
Stanford*	21	12	0	.571	203	3	36
Oregon*	26	17	1	.654	213	1	37
California*	31	18	0	.581	238	2	37
Notre Dame*	28	17	2	.607	265	3	43
UCLA*	39	23	1	.590	274	0	39
Mich. (RB)*	45	27	0	.600	391	4	62
2006 (Jr.)…	436	269	9	.617	3347	29	62

*Starter

2005

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Hawaii	5	2	0	.400	9	1	7
Arkansas	9	4	0	.444	60	1	21
Arizona	3	3	0	1.000	27	0	9
Washington	6	5	1	.833	71	1	31
Wash. St.	6	5	0	.833	69	0	24
Stanford	10	7	0	.700	86	0	24
UCLA	3	1	1	.333	5	0	5
2005 (So.)…	42	27	2	.643	327	3	31

2003

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Stanford	4	1	0	.250	13	0	13
Notre Dame	1	1	0	1.000	5	0	5
Arizona	6	3	0	.500	63	0	33
UCLA	3	2	0	.667	9	0	8
2003 (Fr.)…	14	7	0	.500	90	0	33

USC CAREER PASSING LEADERS
(Based on Number of Completions — Includes bowl games)

	PA	PC	PI	YDS	PCT	TD
1. Carson Palmer	1569	927	49	11818	.591	72
2. Matt Leinart	1245	807	23	10693	.648	99
3. Rob Johnson	1046	676	28	8472	.646	58
4. Rodney Peete	1081	630	42	8225	.583	54
5. John David Booty	**795**	**493**	**20**	**5870**	**.620**	**52**

USC CAREER TOTAL OFFENSE LEADERS
(Includes bowl games)

	PLAYS	RUSH	PASS	TOTAL
1. Carson Palmer	1824	-197	11818	11621
2. Matt Leinart	1477	-70	10693	10623
3. Rodney Peete	1371	415	8225	8640
4. Rob Johnson	1305	-576	8472	7896
5. Charles White	1149	6245	-5	6240
6. John David Booty	**853**	**-163**	**5870**	**5707**

(21) ALLEN BRADFORD
Tailback, 6-0, 225, So./So., San Bernardino, CA (Colton HS)

2007: Bradford, who is equally effective running and receiving out of the backfield, saw action in 11 games (all but UCLA) in 2007 as a reserve tailback and a key special teamer as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007, he ran for 19 yards on 14 carries (1.4 avg.) with a TD, caught 3 passes for 23 yards (7.7 avg.) with 2 TDs and made 11 tackles. He had 15 yards on 8 carries (and a tackle) against Idaho, gained 4 yards on 6 carries (with a 6-yard TD) and made 2 tackles at Nebraska and caught a 4-yard scoring pass and had 3 tackles against Washington State. He made a tackle in both the Stanford and Arizona games, then caught an 8-yard TD pass and had a tackle at Notre Dame. He had an 11-yard reception and 2 tackles against Oregon State. He strained a hip flexor during 2007 spring practice and sat out most of spring drills.

2006: Bradford, who originally came to USC as a safety, moved to tailback in 2006 fall camp and served as a backup there as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. He also was used at fullback (he started there against California and Michigan) and on special teams. Overall while appearing in 12 games (all but Nebraska), he ran for 42 yards on 13 carries (3.2 avg.) with a TD and caught 3 passes for 33 yards (11.0 avg.) with a TD. He also made 3 tackles and returned a kickoff 9 yards. He had 13 yards on 5 carries, with a 1-yard TD, at Arkansas. He caught a 17-yard scoring pass against Arizona State. He added a 12-yard reception at Stanford. He had 19 yards on 4 carries and caught a 4-yard pass against Michigan.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2005 honors included **Parade All-American (he was the all-purpose MVP), USA Today All-USA first team, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, U.S. Army All-American Game participant, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section Defensive MVP, All-CIF Division I Defensive MVP, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-San Bernardino MVP, Ken Hubbs Award (as the San Bernardino area's top athlete) and All-Citrus Belt League** as a senior running back and linebacker at Colton (Calif.) High. He ran for 1,869 yards on 143 carries (13.1 avg.) with 29 TDs and caught 20 passes for 429 yards (21.5 avg.) with 6 TDs, plus recorded 157 tackles, 12 sacks, 4 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he was named **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Division I, Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire and Riverside Press-Enterprise All-San Bernardino**. He rushed for 1,525 yards (8.7 avg.) with 15 TDs and caught 15 passes for 275 yards (18.3 avg.) with 3 scores, and also made 129 tackles, 11 sacks, 8 forced fumbles, 6 fumble recoveries and 1 interception in 2004.

He made the **2003 Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore and All-CIF Division V** squads as a sophomore while running for 1,100-plus yards with 19 TDs and making 90 tackles, 3 sacks and 3 fumble recoveries. He played on the varsity for 4 years. Current Trojan Shareece Wright also prepped at Colton.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	13	42	3.2	1	11	3	33	11.0	1	17
2007 (So.)…	14	19	1.4	1	6	3	23	7.7	2	11
CAREER…….	27	61	4.4	2	11	6	56	9.3	3	17

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)…	1	9	9.0	0	9	3	0/0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	11	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	1	9	9.0	0	9	14	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH ALLEN BRADFORD

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	8	15	1.9	0	6	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska	6	4	0.7	1	6	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	4	4.0	1	4
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	8	8.0	1	8
Oregon St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	11	11.0	0	11
2007 (So.)…	14	19	1.4	1	6	3	23	7.7	2	11

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	1	0/0	0	0
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	3	0/0	0	0
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	2	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	11	0/0	0	0

2006

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	5	13	2.6	1	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	1	3	3.0	0	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	17	17.0	1	17
Stanford	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	12	12.0	0	12
Oregon	2	3	1.5	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	4	4.0	0	4	0	0	0.0	0	0
Michigan (RB)*	4	19	4.8	0	11	1	4	4.0	0	4
2006 (Fr.)…	13	42	3.2	1	11	3	33	11.0	1	17

*Starter

(71) CHARLES BROWN
Offensive Tackle, 6-6, 290, So.*/Jr., Chino Hills, CA (Diamond Ranch HS)

2007: Brown appeared in 8 games (all but Arizona, Oregon, California, Arizona State) as a backup offensive tackle and on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. He even started the Idaho opener at right tackle. He sprained his ankle prior to the Arizona game and sat out that contest.

2006: Brown was a backup left offensive tackle and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2006. He appeared in all 13 games in 2006, including 4 games when he saw brief action at tackle (Arkansas, Stanford, Oregon, UCLA)

2005: Brown redshirted as a freshman tight end in 2005, his first year at USC. He was switched to offensive tackle from tight end in the middle of the 2005 season.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2004 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best of the Rest, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, All-CIF Division VIII and Los Angeles Times All-San Gabriel Valley Lineman of the Year** selection as a senior two-way lineman and tight end at Diamond Ranch High in Pomona (Calif.). He had 15 receptions and 2 touchdowns in 2004.

He was an **All-League second teamer** as a 2003 junior and an **All-League first teamer** as a 2002 sophomore.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (So.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(52) LUTHUR BROWN
Linebacker, 6-3, 230, So.*/Jr., Lakewood, CA (Lakewood HS)

2007: Brown was a backup linebacker and key special teams player as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 25 tackles, including 0.5 for a loss. He had 6 tackles against Arizona and Notre Dame, 4 versus Idaho (with 0.5 for a loss of 1 yard), 3 against Washington State and California, 2 at Nebraska and 1 at Arizona State. He missed some of 2007 spring practice with a left shoulder sprain.

2006: Brown was a backup middle linebacker and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in 11 games (he strained his left hamstring at Washington State and sat out the Washington and Arizona State games), he made 5 tackles. He missed most of 2006 spring drills while recuperating from 2005 back surgery.

2005: Brown redshirted as a freshman linebacker in 2005, his first year at USC. He was sidelined all season with a strained back that required mid-season surgery.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made the **2004 Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Scout.com All-American second team, Old Spice Red Zone Player of the Year, Super Prep All-Farwest, Super Prep All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division I Defensive Player of the Year, Los Angeles Times All-Star Back of the Year, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast Back of the Year and All-Moore League Defensive MVP** squads as a senior linebacker and running back at Lakewood (Calif.) High. He had 83 tackles, 3 sacks, 3 forced fumbles and 2 interceptions in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he was a **Student Sports Junior All-American, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast and Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team** pick. He had 88 tackles, 21 tackles for loss, 3 sacks, 3 forced fumbles and 2 interceptions in 2003.

He also played baseball at Lakewood.

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC. He spent his elementary school years living in a small town in Mississippi.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)…	5	0/0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	25	0.5/1	0	0
CAREER……	30	0.5/1	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH LUTHUR BROWN

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	4	0.5/1	0	0
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	3	0/0	0	0
Arizona	6	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	6	0/0	0	0
California	3	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	25	0.5/1	0	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Michigan (RB)	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	5	0/0	0	0

(18) DAVID BUEHLER
Placekicker, 6-2, 225, Jr./Jr., Anaheim, CA (Canyon HS/Santa Ana JC)

CAREER: He has hit 17-of-20 field goals, including 4-of-6 of 40 yards or longer, in his career, as well as 45-of-47 PATs. Some 36 of his 84 kickoffs in 2007 pinned opponents within the 20-yard line, with 16 touchbacks.

2007: The strong-legged Buehler inherited USC's placekicking duties as a junior in 2007 and did a solid job. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he hit 16-of-19 field goals and 45-of-47 PATs, plus he made 3 tackles. Some 30 of his 76 kickoffs in 2007 pinned opponents within the 20-yard line, with 13 touchbacks. He was a **2007 Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick.

He hit all 5 of his PATs and a 36-yard field goal against Idaho, plus 6 of his 7 kickoffs pinned the Vandals within the 20 (including 4 touchbacks). He hit all 7 of his PATs at Nebraska. Against Washington State, he hit 2 field goals (23 and 29 yards), was 5-of-6 on PATs, pinned the Cougars within the 20 on 4 of his 9 kickoffs and even ran down and tackled a WSU kick returner who had broken free at midfield to save a touchdown. He hit 2 of his 3 field goal attempts (a 22-yarder and a 33-yarder with 3:01 to play that proved to be the decisive points) and all 3 of his PATs at Washington. Against Stanford, he hit a 34-yard field goal, 2-of-3 PATs and pinned the Cardinal within the 20 on 3 of his 5 kickoffs (with 2 touchbacks). He hit a pair of field goals (27 and 23 yards) and PATs against Arizona and 3 of his 5 kickoffs pinned the Wildcats within the 20 (with a touchback). He hit a 30-yard field goal and all 5 of his PATs at Notre Dame and 4 of his 7 kickoffs pinned the Irish within the 20 (with 2 touchbacks). He hit a 30-yard field goal and both PATs at Oregon and 1 of his 4 kickoffs pinned the Ducks within the 20. He made a 47-yard field goal (he also missed a 48-yarder) and all 3 of his PATS against Oregon State and 1 of his 5 kickoffs pinned the Beavers within the 20 (he also had a tackle). He hit a 28-yard field goal and all 3 of his PATs at California (1 of his 5 kickoffs pinned the Bears within the 20). He made all 3 of his field goals (42, 20 and 37 yards) and all 5 of his PATs at Arizona State and had touchbacks on 3 of his 9 kickoffs. He made all 3 of his PATs and 1 of 2 field goals (a 46-yarder) against UCLA.

2006: Buehler, who transferred to USC in the fall of 2006 from a junior college, was a backup placekicker specializing in kickoffs and played on special teams, but also worked at fullback and safety (he did not see action at those spots). He appeared in 11 games in 2006 (all but Arkansas and Nebraska), mainly on special teams. He hit his only field goal attempt (49 yards against California, the longest by a Trojan since Adam Abrams

had a 49-yarder at Oregon in 1998) and also kicked off in 2 games (once at Stanford and the entire Michigan game). Of his 8 kickoffs, 6 pinned opponents within the 20-yard line (with 3 touchbacks).

JUNIOR COLLEGE: He made the **2005 All-Mission Conference National Division first team** as a freshman placekicker, linebacker and running back at Santa Ana (Calif.) Junior College. He had 25 touchbacks on his 58 kickoffs in 2005, plus recorded 24 tackles and 1 interception on defense and rushed for 50 yards on 9 carries (5.6 avg.) with 5 touchdowns (he also caught a TD pass) on offense.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made the **2004 All-Century League** team as a senior at Canyon High in Anaheim (Calif.). He also was on Canyon's volleyball, golf and track teams.

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC. His father, John, lettered on USC's 1969 track team as a shot putter. His uncle, George Buehler, lettered in football at Stanford for 3 years (1966-68) and then played guard with the Oakland Raiders (1969-78) and Cleveland Browns (1978-79). Another uncle, Charles, lettered in football at Stanford for 3 years (1960-62).

	FGA	FGM	LG	PAT ATT	PAT
2006 (So.)…	1	1	49	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	19	16	47	47	45

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Jr.)…	3	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH DAVID BUEHLER

2007

	FG-FGA	MADE	MISS	PAT-PAT ATT
Idaho*	1-1	36	—	5-5
Nebraska*	0-0	—	—	7-7
Wash. St.*	2-2	23, 29	—	5-6 (WR)
Washington*	2-3	22. 33	33 WL	3-3
Stanford*	1-1	34	—	2-3 (BK)
Arizona*	2-2	27, 23	—	2-2
Notre Dame*	1-1	30	—	5-5
Oregon*	1-1	30	—	2-2
Oregon St.*	1-2	47	48 WR	3-3
California*	1-1	28	—	3-3
Arizona St.*	3-3	42, 20, 37	—	5-5
UCLA*	1-2	46	40 WL	3-3
2007 (Jr.)…	16-19	—	—	45-47

GAME	KICKOFFS	WITHIN 20 (TOUCHBACKS)
Idaho*	7	6 (4)
Nebraska*	9	2 (0)
Wash. St.*	9	4 (0)
Washington*	6	1 (1)
Stanford*	5	3 (2)
Arizona*	5	3 (1)
Notre Dame*	7	4 (2)
Oregon*	4	1 (0)
Oregon St.*	5	1 (0)
California*	5	1 (0)
Arizona St.*	9	4 (3)
UCLA*	5	0 (0)
2007 (Jr.)…	76	30 (13)

2006

	FG-FGA	MADE	MISS
California	1-1	49	—
2006 (So.)…	1-1	—	—

	KICKOFFS	WITHIN 20 (TOUCHBACKS)
Stanford	1	0 (0)
Michigan (RB)*	7	6 (3)
2006 (So.)…	8	6 (3)

*Starter

(53) JEFF BYERS
Offensive Guard-Center, 6-4, 285, Jr.*/Sr., Fort Collins, CO (Loveland HS)

2007: Byers, a one-time starter who missed most of the past 2 seasons with injuries, ably re-assumed his starting role in his 2007 junior season, with 11 starts at left offensive guard and the Washington State game at center. He made the **2007 Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 third team**.

2006: After missing the 2005 season with a hip injury, Byers appeared ready to re-assume his starting job at left offensive guard as a sophomore in 2006. After seeing action as a backup in the opener at Arkansas, he suffered a back sprain prior to the Nebraska game and was sidelined the rest of the season. Because of the early-season injury, he was allowed to redshirt. He missed some of 2006 spring drills while recuperating.

2005: Byers was set to see plenty of action on the offensive line as a sophomore in 2005 as a left guard, either as a starter or key backup. But he had arthroscopic surgery to remove torn cartilage in his right hip prior to 2005 spring practice and missed most of spring drills while recuperating, which forced him to redshirt in 2005.

2004: As a first-year freshman in 2004, Byers started 4 late-season games (Oregon State, Arizona, Notre Dame and UCLA) at left offensive guard for an injured John Drake and performed well. He served as a backup there and at center in USC's other 9 contests. He made the **2004 The Sporting News Freshman All-American second team and The Sporting News Freshman All-Pac-10 first team**.

HIGH SCHOOL: Among his 2003 honors were **Gatorade National Player of the Year, EA Sports National Player of the Year, Army of One Award (for effort on the field, class and community), Arena Football League Ironman of the Year (as nation's best two-way player), USA Today All-USA first team, Parade All-American MVP, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American, Insiders.com All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Tom Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Midlands, Prep-Star All-Midlands, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team and Gatorade Colorado Player of the Year** as a senior center and linebacker at Loveland (Colo.) High. He had 34 pancake blocks on offense in one game in 2003 and never allowed a sack in his career. On defense in 2003, he had 203 tackles, 56 tackles for loss, 10 sacks, 14 forced fumbles and 3 fumble recoveries (with a TD). Loveland won its second consecutive Class 4A state championship in 2003.

As a junior in 2002, he won **All-State honorable mention, All-Area and All-Conference** honors while posting 138 tackles, 29 tackles for loss and 5.5 sacks on defense.

He also competed in basketball and track at Loveland.

PERSONAL: He has a B average (3.27 GPA) at USC. He received his bachelor's degree in business administration in the summer of 2007 and is working on his master's degree in business.

(37) JORDAN CAMPBELL
Fullback, 6-0, 225, Fr./Fr., Corona, CA (Norco HS)

2007: Campbell redshirted as a freshman fullback in 2007, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Inland Division Defensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-Riverside County first team, Inland Valley Daily Bulletin All-Inland Valley first team and All-Mountain View League Defensive MVP** as a senior linebacker at Norco (Calif.) High. He had 156 tackles, 6 sacks, 1 interception and 1 fumble recovery in 2006. Norco won the 2006 CIF Inland Division title.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-CIF Division V first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-Riverside County second team and All-League** while getting 135 tackles. Norco won the 2005 CIF Division V championship.

(80) BRANDON CARSWELL
Wide Receiver, 6-2, 175, Fr./Fr., Milpitas, CA (Milpitas HS)

2007: Carswell redshirted as a freshman wide receiver in 2007, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, EA Sports All-American third team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100 and San Jose Mercury News All-Area MVP** as a senior at Milpitas (Calif.) High. He threw for 1,406 yards and 15 TDs and ran for 1,503 yards with 19 TDs as a quarterback, as well as caught 13 passes for 364 yards (28.0 avg.), and had 11 interceptions as a cornerback in 2006. Milpitas won the 2006 CIF Central Coast Section large school championship.

As a junior in 2005, he had 32 receptions for 711 yards (22.2 avg.) and 11 TDs as a wide receiver despite having to sit out the first 6 games of the season.

He played quarterback as a sophomore in 2004.

(72) MARTIN COLEMAN
Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 320, Fr./Fr., Huntington Beach, CA (Edison HS)

2007: Coleman, who graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring of 2007, redshirted as an offensive tackle as a first-year freshman in 2007. He had post-spring surgery on his shoulder, which limited him in 2007.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register All-Orange County first team and All-Sunset**

League Offensive Line MVP as a senior offensive lineman at Edison High in Huntington Beach (Calif.). He missed the end of the 2006 season after breaking his ankle. Edison was the CIF Pac-5 Division runnerup. As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-Sunset League second team**. He only played 2 years of football at Edison.

PERSONAL: He grew up on the Tongan island of Vavau and played rugby as a youth.

(50) WILL COLLINS
Snapper, 6-2, 230, Sr.*/Sr., Laguna Beach, CA (Mater Dei HS)

2007: Collins spent his fourth season as USC's snapper as a senior in 2007. He had arthroscopic surgery on his right knee prior to 2007 spring practice and sat out spring drills.

2006: Collins was USC's snapper for his third season as a junior in 2006. He handled both short and long snaps. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he made 1 tackle (against Washington).

2005: Collins spent his second season as the short snapper and first season as the long snapper as a sophomore in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he made 1 tackle (against Arizona).

2004: Collins, who received a scholarship prior to 2004 spring practice, was USC's snapper on all field goals and PATs as a redshirt freshman in 2004 and he did a flawless job.

2003: Collins redshirted as a freshman snapper in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a long snapper and blocking tight end at Mater Dei High in Santa Ana (Calif.), playing both years with a broken thumb.

PERSONAL: He's a political science major at USC. His older brother, Rob, was a walk-on quarterback at USC in the 1980s, while 2 older sisters also attended USC (another sister currently is attending USC). His uncle, Joe Collins, was a member of USC's 1974 national championship football team.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (So.)…	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**
2006 (Jr.)…	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**
CAREER…….	**2**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**

GAME-BY-GAME WITH WILL COLLINS

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Washington	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**
2006 (Jr.)…	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arizona	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**
2005 (So.)…	**1**	**0/0**	**0**	**0**

(15) AARON CORP
Quarterback, 6-3, 185, Fr./Fr., Villa Park, CA (Orange Lutheran HS)

2007: Corp redshirted as a freshman quarterback in 2007, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest Offensive MVP, Prep Star All-West, Cal-Hi Sports California Mr. Football, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Pac-5 Division Offensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star MVP, Orange County Register All-Orange County Offensive MVP and All-Trinity League Co-MVP** as a senior quarterback at Orange (Calif.) Lutheran High. He completed 212-of-311 (68.2%) of his passes for 2,750 yards, 21 TDs and 7 interceptions, plus ran for 1,197 yards on 142 carries (8.4 avg.) with 12 TDs, in 2006. He also punted. Orange Lutheran went 14-1 and won the 2006 CIF Pac-5 Division and the California state Division II championships.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-CIF Division VI first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team and All-Empire League Offensive MVP** while hitting 128-of-219 (58.4%) of his passes for 1,634 yards, 22 TDs and 11 interceptions and running for 591 yards with 11 TDs. Orange Lutheran won the CIF Division VI title in his 2004 sophomore season when he was named to the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team**.

In his 3-year career as a starter, he accounted for 8,668 yards of total offense and 76 TDs. Current Trojan Michael Reardon also attended Orange Lutheran.

PERSONAL: His father, Chris, lettered at wide receiver for 2 years (1980-81) at Idaho State and was a member of the Bengals' NCAA Division I-AA championship team (he caught a TD pass in the title game). His mother, Mary, played volleyball at Idaho State.

(10) BRIAN CUSHING
Linebacker, 6-4, 240, Jr./Jr., Park Ridge, NJ (Bergen Catholic HS)

2007: Cushing, who did a standout job starting at defensive end in 2006, moved back to his natural strongside linebacker spot as a junior in 2007 and didn't miss a beat. Overall while appearing in 9 games (all but Washington, Stanford and Arizona) and starting 7 times (Idaho and USC's last 6 games), he had 24 tackles, including 2.5 for losses of 4 yards (with a 2-yard sack), and a deflection. He sprained his left ankle in the Idaho opener, then played briefly but didn't start the next 2 games (Nebraska and Washington State) before re-spraining it against Washington State and being sidelined for the next 3 contests.

He had 1 tackle against Washington State, then returned from his injury and notched 2 tackles at Notre Dame. He had 8 tackles at Oregon, 5 stops (with a sack) against Oregon State, 4 tackles (1.5 for a loss) and a deflection at California, 2 tackles at Arizona State and 2 more stops against UCLA. He was named **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention**. He sat out most of 2007 spring practice with a strained hamstring. He had arthroscopic surgery on his left knee following 2007spring practice.

2006: Cushing, who started 4 times in 2005 at strongside linebacker, started all of his 2006 sophomore season as a stand-up defensive end in USC's hybrid 3-4 "Elephant" defense. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 57 tackles, including a team-best 13.5 for losses of 52 yards (with 4.5 sacks for minus 33 yards), plus a deflection, a forced fumble, a blocked punt that he returned 21 yards (at Washington to set up a USC field goal) and a 42-yard scoring kickoff return of an onside kick (against Notre Dame). He made the **2006 Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American third team, All-Pac-10 second team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He won **USC's John McKay Award** (most competitive spirit). He missed some of 2006 spring drills while recuperating from shoulder surgery.

Four of his 7 tackles against Michigan were for losses (with 2.5 sacks) and he forced a fumble to help him earn **Rose Bowl Defensive MVP, ESPN.com All-Bowl Team and CBSSportsline.com All-Bowl Team** honors. He also had 7 tackles (1.5 for a loss) at Washington State, 6 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against California, 5 tackles against Arkansas (1 for a loss), Nebraska (0.5 for a loss), Washington (1.5 for a loss) and Stanford (1 for a loss), 4 tackles against Arizona (with a sack), Arizona State (0.5 for a loss) and Oregon (with a deflection), 2 tackles at Oregon State and UCLA (both for losses, with a sack) and 1 tackle against Notre Dame.

2005: Cushing made quite an impact in 2005 as a first-year freshman linebacker, despite missing nearly half the season with a shoulder injury. He started USC's last 4 games (versus California, Fresno State, UCLA and Texas) on the strong side after previously serving as an often-used backup there and a key special teams player. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 8 games (he missed the Arkansas, Oregon, Arizona State, Arizona and Notre Dame games after dislocating his shoulder before the Arkansas contest), he made 23 tackles, including 0.5 for a loss, plus had 3 deflections, 2 fumble recoveries and a blocked punt that he returned 6 yards. He made **2005 Scout.com Freshman All-American honorable mention**. After the season, he had surgery to repair a dislocating shoulder.

As a starter, he led USC with 7 tackles at California, then added 4 stops, a deflection and a fumble recovery to set up a USC field goal against Fresno State, had 2 tackles, a fumble recovery and a deflection versus UCLA and had 1 tackle and 1 deflection against Texas. As a backup, he had 5 tackles against Stanford, 2 tackles and blocked a punt to set up a USC field goal at Washington, 1 tackle and forced a fumble that USC recovered for a touchdown at Hawaii and 1 stop versus Washington State.

HIGH SCHOOL: Among his 2004 honors were **Parade All-American, USA Today All-USA first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Scout.com All-American first team, EA Sports All-American second team, Super Prep All-Northeast Defensive Player of the Year, Prep Star All-East and All-State Defensive Player of the Year** as a senior linebacker, running back and tight end at Bergen Catholic High in Oradell (N.J.). He had 120 tackles, 11 tackles for loss, 10 sacks and 7 interceptions on offense in 2004, plus 475 rushing yards with 10 TDs and 13 receptions for 456 yards (35.1 avg.) with 7 TDs and a kickoff return for a score. He did all that despite missing 3 games with an ankle sprain.

As a junior in 2003, he made **Student Sports Junior All-American, All-State first team and All-Bergen County Defensive Player of the Year** while posting 120 tackles, 22 tackles for loss, 9 sacks and 7 interceptions.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	23	0.5/0	4#	2	1	6	6.0	0	6
2006 (So.)…	57	13.5/52	2#	0	1	21	21.0	0	21
2007 (Jr.)…	24	2.5/4	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	104	16.5/56	7##	2	2	27	13.5	0	21

#Includes 1 blocked punt
##Includes 2 blocked punts

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (So.)…	1	42	42.0	1	42

GAME-BY-GAME WITH BRIAN CUSHING

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame*	2	0/0	0	0
Oregon*	8	1/2	0	0
Oregon St.*	5	1.5/2	0	0
California*	4	0/0	1	0
Arizona St.*	2	0/0	0	0
UCLA*	2	0/0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	24	2.5/4	1	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas*	5	1/3	0	0
Nebraska*	5	0.5/2	0	0
Arizona*	4	1/11	0	0
Wash. St.*	7	1.5/4	0	0
Washington*	5	1.5/5	1#	0
Arizona St.*	4	0.5/1	0	0
Oregon St.*	2	0/0	0	0
Stanford*	5	1/1	0	0
Oregon*	4	0/0	1	0
California*	6	0.5/1	0	0
Notre Dame*	1	0/0	0	0
UCLA*	2	2/5	0	0
Michigan (RB)*	7	4/19	0	0
2006 (So.)…	57	13.5/52	2#	0

*Starter
#Includes 1 blocked punt

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii	1	0/0	0	0
Washington	2	0/0	1#	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	5	0/0	0	0
California*	7	0/0	0	0
Fresno St.*	4	0/0	1	1
UCLA*	2	0.5/0	1	1
Texas* (RB)	1	0/0	1	0
2005 (Fr.)…	23	0.5/0	3#	2

#Includes 1 blocked punt
*Starter

(83) FRED DAVIS
Tight End, 6-4, 250, Sr./Sr., Toledo, OH (Rogers HS)

CAREER: His 110 career catches (13th on USC's career receptions list), 1,321 career receiving yards and 12 career touchdown receptions are records for USC tight ends. He has 3 100-yard receiving games in his career (all in 2007). He has caught a pass in 16 consecutive games (including all 12 in 2007).

2007: Davis, a good blocker and an effective, speedy downfield receiver, had an all-star season while starting for his second year at tight end as a senior in 2007. He won the **2007 Mackey Award** as the nation's top tight end (USC's first-ever recipient). He was named to the **2007 The Sporting News All-American first team** (USC's first All-American tight end since Jim Obradovich in 1974), **Phil Steele's All-American first team, AP All-American second team, SI.com All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com All-American second team, Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention, All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team**. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he had 55 receptions for 794 yards (14.4 avg.) and 7 TDs, all team highs. He also made 2 tackles. He is the first tight end to lead USC in receptions in a season since Joe Cormier in 1985, in receiving yardage since Hoby Brenner in 1980 and in TD receptions since Antoine Harris in 2000. His 14.4 average per catch in 2007 is second best among the nation's tight ends. His 55 catches in 2007 is tied for 18th on USC's season receptions chart and is a record for USC tight ends (as are his 794 yards and 7 TDs). He was **USC's Co-MVP**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**.

He had 2 catches for 39 yards versus Idaho, 3 catches for 38 yards at Nebraska. Against Washington State, he caught a career-high 9 passes for 124 yards with 2 touchdowns (6 and 14 yards), all game bests (the yardage was the most ever by a USC tight end at the time and the receptions were 1 shy of the USC tight end record set in 1996) to earn **John Mackey National Tight End of the Week** honors. He had 4 catches for 72 yards at Washington, then had 5 catches (including a 63-yard TD) for 152 yards against Stanford to up his USC game record for receiving yards for a tight end. He had 6 catches for 63 yards, including a 25-yard TD, against Arizona, then a game-high 5 receptions for 40 yards at Notre Dame, including a 10-yard TD catch. He had an 11-yard reception at Oregon, a game-high 5 catches for 31 yards against Oregon State, 4 catches for 54 yards at California and 5 receptions for 119 yards (with a rambling 34-yard TD) at Arizona State. He had a game-best 6 catches for 41 yards, with a 12-yard TD) against UCLA.

2006: Davis started 10 games at tight end in his 2006 junior season (he came off the bench against Stanford, Oregon and California). Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 38 receptions for 352 yards (9.3 avg.) with 3 TDs. He had a game-best 5 catches for 59 yards, with a 9-yard TD, at Arkansas. He then had 2 catches for 16 yards against Nebraska, a team-best 5 catches for 38 yards at Arizona, 5 more catches for 46 yards at Washington State and caught 2 passes for 15 yards versus Washington State. He caught 4 passes for 20 yards at Oregon State, including a 4-yard TD. He had a 2-yard TD reception at Stanford, 2 catches for 16 yards against California and caught 3 passes for 33 yards against Notre Dame. He had 6 catches for 68 yards (both career highs) at UCLA. He had 3 receptions for 39 yards against Michigan. He made the **2006 Scout.com All-Pac-10 second team**.

2005: Davis saw significant action at tight end as a sophomore in 2005, even starting 3 games (Stanford, California, Fresno State). Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 13 catches for 145 yards (11.2 avg.) with 2 TDs. He caught 4 passes for 35 yards, with a 19-yard TD, against Stanford in his first start. He added 2 grabs against Arizona (23 yards), Washington State (28 yards) and Texas (19 yards), and 1 catch against both California (16 yards) and Fresno State (9 yards). He had a 15-yard TD reception against UCLA.

2004: Davis, who graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring of 2004, was a reserve wide receiver and tight end as a first-year freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in 9 games (all but Oregon State, Arizona and Oklahoma), he caught 4 passes for 30 yards (7.5 avg.). He had a 15-yard grab at Stanford, 2 catches for 6 yards against Arizona State and a 9-yard reception versus Washington.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2003 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Insiders.com All-American, USA Today All-USA second team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Tom Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Midwest Offensive MVP, Prep Star All-Midwest and All-Ohio** selection as a senior at Rogers High in Toledo (Ohio). He had 500-plus receiving yards, 600-plus rushing yards, 100-plus tackles and 4 interceptions while scoring 12 TDs as a wide receiver, running back, quarterback and strong safety in 2003.

As a junior in 2002, he made the **Student Sports Junior All-American and All-Ohio** squads while running for 1,100 yards and catching 50 passes for 700-plus yards with 26 TDs on offense and getting 80 tackles and 2 interceptions on defense.

He also was on the basketball (averaging 15 points a game) and track (hurdles) teams at Rogers.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	4	30	7.5	0	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	13	145	11.2	2	24	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	38	352	9.3	3	25	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	55	794	14.4	7	63	1	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…….	110	1321	12.0	12	63	1	0	0.0	0	0

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Sr.)…	2	0/0	2	2

GAME-BY-GAME WITH FRED DAVIS

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	2	49	24.5	0	35
Nebraska*	3	38	12.7	0	17
Wash. St.*	9	124	13.8	2	25
Washington*	4	72	18.0	0	32
Stanford*	5	152	30.4	1	63
Arizona*	6	63	10.5	1	25
Notre Dame*	5	40	8.0	1	13
Oregon*	1	11	11.0	0	11
Oregon St.*	5	31	6.2	0	16
California*	4	54	13.5	0	33
Arizona St.*	5	119	23.8	1	34
UCLA*	6	41	6.8	1	13
2007 (Sr.)…	55	794	14.4	7	63

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas*	5	59	11.8	1	25
Nebraska*	2	16	8.0	0	17
Arizona*	5	38	7.6	0	15
Wash. St.*	5	46	9.2	0	21
Washington*	2	15	7.5	0	9
Oregon St.*	4	20	5.0	1	8
Stanford	1	2	2.0	1	2
California	2	16	8.0	0	12
Notre Dame*	3	33	11.0	0	12
UCLA*	6	68	11.3	0	20
Michigan (RB)*	3	39	13.0	0	23
2006 (Jr.)…	38	352	9.3	3	25

2005

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arizona	2	23	11.5	0	17
Wash. St.	2	28	14.0	0	24
Stanford*	4	35	8.8	1	19
California*	1	16	16.0	0	16
Fresno St.*	1	9	9.0	0	9
UCLA	1	15	15.0	1	15
Texas (RB)	2	19	9.5	0	12
2005 (So.)…	13	145	11.2	2	24

*Starter

2004

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Stanford	1	15	15.0	0	15
Arizona St.	2	6	3.0	0	4
Washington	1	9	9.0	0	9
2004 (Fr.)…	4	30	7.5	0	15

(34) HERSHEL DENNIS
Tailback, 5-11, 200, Sr.*/Sr., Long Beach, CA (Poly HS)

CAREER: He has 1,027 career rushing yards.

2007: Dennis, a quick, darting runner who missed the past 2 seasons with injuries after starting at tailback in 2003, served as a backup tailback and played on special teams as a sixth-year senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 10 games (he missed the Idaho and Nebraska games after spraining his knee in 2007 fall camp), he ran for 59 yards on 17 carries (3.5 avg.), caught 2 passes for 5 yards (2.5 avg.) and returned a kickoff 11 yards. He gained 14 yards on 4 carries against Washington State, had 34 yards on 7 rushes against Stanford, caught a 3-yard pass against Arizona, added 9 yards on 2 carries at Notre Dame, ran for 2 yards on 2 tries and had a 2-yard reception against Oregon State and carried the ball twice (for no yards) and had an 11-yard return of a short kickoff against UCLA. He had arthroscopic surgery on his left knee following 2007 spring practice.

2006: Dennis appeared ready to re-assume his starting role as a senior in 2006, but he re-tore ligaments in his left knee midway through 2006 spring practice. He missed the 2006 season after having surgery and petitioned for a sixth year of eligibility in 2007.

2005: Dennis redshirted his 2005 senior season while recuperating for torn knee ligament sugery performed in January of 2005 (he was sidelined for 2005 spring practice).

2004: Dennis was a reserve as a junior in 2004. He also played on special teams. Overall in 2004 while appearing in 9 games (all but Virginia Tech, Colorado State, California and Oklahoma), he ran for 109 yards on 28 carries (3.9 avg.) with a TD and made a tackle. He had 18 yards on 3 carries at BYU, 19 yards on 5 tries versus Arizona State, 12 yards on 4 carries versus Washington and 55 yards on 11 rushes at Washington State. He had a 1-yard TD run against Arizona. He sat out USC's first 2 games while suspended for a team rule violation. He tore ligaments in his left knee in practice prior to the Orange Bowl, ending his 2004 season.

2003: Dennis started all of his 2003 sophomore season at tailback. Overall in 2003 while starting all 13 games, he rushed for 661 yards on 137 carries (4.8 avg.) with 4 TDs, plus caught 10 passes for 62 yards (6.2 avg.) with 1 TD.

In his first career start, he ran for a career-best 85 yards on 21 carries at Auburn, including a second-effort 14-yard TD. He ran for 40 yards on 16 carries, with an 11-yard TD, against BYU, then had for 54 yards on 9 attempts and caught 2 passes for 5 yards against Hawaii. He rushed for 53 yards on 14 carries at California (he also caught 2 passes for 7 yards), then added 19 yards on 4 carries (he also caught a 12-yard pass) at Arizona State and 80 yards on 10 tries against Stanford. At Notre Dame, he had 38 yards on 10 tries (with a 2-yard TD) and caught 2 passes for 23 yards (with a 3-yard score), then had a game-high 98 rushing yards on 14 carries (he also had a 10-yard catch) at Washington and 53 yards on 7 tries (with a 24-yard TD) versus Washington State. He had 52 yards on 10 rushes at Arizona, then a game-best 69 yards on 12 carries against UCLA, followed by 5 yards each on 3 carries and 2 receptions versus Oregon State. He added 17 yards on 7 carries against Michigan in the Rose Bowl.

2002: Dennis exhibited his outstanding future during his action as a reserve tailback and on special teams as a freshman in 2002, his first year at USC. Overall in 2002 while appearing in all 13 games, he ran for 198 yards on 49 carries (4.0 avg.) with 1 TD, caught 4 passes for 23 yards (5.8 avg.), returned 9 kickoffs for 151 yards (16.8 avg.) and had a tackle for a loss of 34 yards (on a punt at UCLA).

He got his first carries at Colorado, where he ran for 32 yards on 5 tries and caught a 4-yard pass. He then gained 9 yards on 3 carries and returned a kickoff 10 yards at Kansas State. He ran for 3 yards on 4 tries and returned a kickoff 21 yards against Oregon State, returned 3 kickoffs for 40 yards against California, rushed for 7 yards on 2 carries against Washington and gained 19 yards on 10 carries (he also caught a 2-yard pass) at Oregon. He had 21 yards on 6 carries at Stanford, 23 yards on 5 rushes versus Arizona State. At UCLA, he ran for a game-best 57 yards on 8 carries, with a 38-yard TD on a fourth-down play. He had 19 yards on 3 carries and returned a kickoff 15 yards versus Notre Dame. Against Iowa in the Orange Bowl, he ran twice for 8 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2001 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Student Sports All-American second team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, Super Prep All-Far West, Prep Star All-Western Region, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Las Vegas Sun Super 11 first team, Student Sports All-West first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division I first team Co-Offensive MVP, Los Angeles Times Glenn Davis Award (as the top Southern California prep football player), Los Angeles Times All-Southern California first team, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast first team MVP and Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team Offensive MVP** as a senior running back at Poly High in Long Beach (Calif.). He ran for 1,740 yards on 221 carries (7.9 avg.) with 24 touchdowns, averaging 134 yards a game, in 2001, even though he was pulled out of most games in the third quarter because Poly had large leads. He had some of his best performances in Poly's biggest games: getting 161 yards on 20 carries versus national champion De La Salle High and then 189 yards and 3 scores on 29 carries against Edison High in the CIF Division I final.

As a junior in 2000, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team Co-Offensive MVP, All-CIF Division I first team Co-Offensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast first team and Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team Offensive MVP**. He set school and Moore League records for rushing yards (2,106) and rushing touchdowns (32) in 2000 while carrying 209 times (10.1 avg.). In one game as a junior, he had 41 carries for 237 yards and 5 TDs. He scored the winning touchdown on an 11-yard catch in overtime in the 2000 CIF Division I championship game against Loyola High.

He made the **All-CIF Division I first team, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast first team and Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team** as a sophomore in 1999 while running for 1,400-plus yards.

He set school career records for rushing yards (5,440) and rushing touchdowns (82). He returned 7 kicks for scores in his career. He was a 3-year starter as Poly went 39-1-1 and won 3 CIF Division I titles.

He also was on Poly's track team, with bests of 10.7 in the 100 meters, 22.3 in the 200 meters, 22-plus in the long jump and 6-6 in the high jump, and basketball team. Current Trojans Vincent Joseph, Travon Patterson and Alfred Rowe also prepped at Poly.

PERSONAL: He received his bachelor's degree in sociology at USC in the summer of 2007. His father, Hershel Sr., played tailback at North Carolina A&T. His nickname is "Patch."

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2002 (Fr.)…	49	198	4.0	1	38	4	23	5.8	0	15
2003 (So.)…	137	661	4.8	4	34	10	62	6.2	1	20
2004 (Jr.)…	28	109	3.9	1	13	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	17	59	3.5	0	19	2	5	2.5	0	3
CAREER…….	231	1027	4.4	6	38	16	90	5.6	1	20

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2002 (Fr.)…	9	151	16.8	0	29	1	1/34	0	0
2004 (Jr.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	1	11	11.0	0	11	0	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	10	162	16.2	0	29	2	1/34	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH HERSHEL DENNIS

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Wash. St.	4	14	3.5	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	7	34	4.9	0	19	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	3	3.0	0	3
Notre Dame	2	9	4.5	0	5	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	2	2	1.0	0	1	1	2	2.0	0	2
UCLA	2	0	0.0	0	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	17	59	3.5	0	19	2	5	2.5	0	3

2004

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
BYU	3	18	6.0	0	10
Stanford	1	1	1.0	0	1
Arizona St.	5	19	3.8	0	6
Washington	4	12	3.0	0	9
Wash. St.	11	55	5.0	0	13
Arizona	3	5	1.7	1	4
Notre Dame	1	-1	-1.0	0	-1
2004 (Jr.)…	28	109	3.9	1	13

2003

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Auburn*	21	85	4.0	1	21	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU*	16	40	2.5	1	11	0	0	0.0	0	0
Hawaii*	9	52	5.8	0	23	2	5	2.5	0	3
California*	14	53	3.8	0	20	2	7	3.5	0	5
Arizona State*	4	19	4.8	0	7	1	12	12.0	0	12
Stanford*	10	80	8.0	0	20	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	10	38	3.8	1	12	2	23	11.5	1	20
Washington*	14	98	7.0	0	34	1	10	10.0	0	10
Wash. State*	7	54	2.1	1	6	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	10	52	5.2	0	20	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	12	69	5.8	0	19	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon State*	3	5	1.7	0	3	2	5	2.5	0	4
Mich. (Rose)*	7	17	2.4	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
2003 (So.)…	137	661	4.8	4	34	10	62	6.2	1	20

*Starter

2002

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Colorado	5	32	6.4	0	15	1	4	4.0	0	4
Kansas State	3	9	2.0	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon State	4	3	0.8	0	4	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	3	7	2.3	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	10	19	1.9	0	7	1	2	2.0	0	2
Stanford	6	21	3.5	0	11	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona State	5	23	4.6	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	8	57	7.1	1	38	2	17	8.5	0	15
Notre Dame	3	19	6.3	0	9	0	0	0.0	0	0
Iowa (Orange)	2	8	4.0	0	6	0	0	0.0	0	0
2002 (Fr.)…	49	198	4.0	1	38	4	23	5.8	0	15

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Kansas State	1	10	10.0	0	10
Oregon State	1	21	21.0	0	21
Wash. State	2	45	22.5	0	29
California	3	40	13.3	0	19
Oregon	1	20	20.0	0	20
Notre Dame	1	15	15.0	0	15
2002 (Fr.)…	9	151	16.8	0	29

(49) SEDRICK ELLIS
Defensive Tackle, 6-2, 305, Sr.*/Sr., Chino, CA (Chino HS)

CAREER: He has 28.5 tackles for a loss and 17.5 sacks in his career.

2007: Ellis, a 2-time All-American first teamer, started for his third season at nose tackle as a senior in 2007 and was as dominant as ever. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he has 56 tackles, including 12.5 for losses of 75 yards (with 8.5 sacks for minus 67 yards), plus 6 deflections, 2 fumble recoveries and 1 forced fumble. He was **1 of 15 semifinalists for the 2007 Bednarik Award and 1 of 8 semifinalists for the 2007 Lott Trophy**. He was named to the **2007 AP (unanimous), Football Coaches, Football Writers, Walter Camp, The Sporting News, SI.com, Collegefootballnews.com and Pro Football Weekly All-American first teams and Phil Steele's All-American second team**. He was named the **2007 Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year** (USC's fifth such selection) and **Pac-10 Morris Trophy** winner (for the second year in a row), he was a **unanimous choice on the 2007 All-Pac-10 first team** and he made the **ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team (he was its Pac-10 Player of the Year), Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team**. He was **USC's Co-MVP** and also won **USC's Co-Defensive Lineman of the Year Award and Co-Lifter of the Year Award**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**.

He had 4 tackles (including 1 for a loss) and 2 deflections versus Idaho, then 5 tackles, including a sack, and 2 deflections at Nebraska. He had a tackle (0.5 for a loss) against Washington State, 4 stops at Washington and then had 3 sacks among his 6 tackles versus Stanford. He had 2 tackles, recovered a fumble (to set up a USC field goal) and had a deflection against Arizona, 5 stops (1.5 sacks) at Notre Dame and 12 tackles, including 2 for a loss (with a sack), at Oregon. He had 3 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss (with a sack), and a deflection against Oregon State, 6 tackles at California, 4 stops (2 for a loss, with a sack) at Arizona State and 4 tackles and a fumble recovery against UCLA.

2006: Ellis was impressive once again while starting for the second year at nose tackle as a junior in 2006. Overall in 2006 while starting 10 games, he had 34 tackles, including 8 for losses of 47 yards (with 4.5 sacks for minus 37 yards), plus 2 fumble recoveries, 1 forced fumble, a blocked field goal (at Stanford that USC returned for a touchdown) and 3 deflections. He tore cartilage in his right knee prior to the Nebraska game and had arthroscopic surgery, sidelining him for 3 games (Nebraska, Arizona, Washington State). He made the **2006 Collegefootballnews.com All-American first team, All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He won the **2006 Pac-10 Morris Trophy** (for the league's top defensive lineman, as voted by the league's offensive linemen).

He had 3 tackles (with a sack) and a forced fumble at Arkansas, then returned from a 3-game hiatus because of the knee injury and had 5 tackles against Washington. He made 5 tackles, including 2 for a loss (with 0.5 sack), versus Arizona State, another 5 tackles, including 2 for losses (with a sack), at Oregon State and a tackle and the blocked field goal at Stanford. He added a tackle against Oregon, 4 tackles, a fumble recovery and a deflection against California, 2 tackles against Notre Dame and 2 more tackles, a fumble recovery and a deflection at UCLA. He had 6 tackles, including 2 for losses (with a sack), and a deflection against Michigan.

2005: After an eye-opening showing in 2005 spring practice, Ellis earned the starting nose tackle spot as a sophomore in 2005 and didn't disappoint. Overall in 2005 while starting all 13 games, he made 50 tackles, including 8 for losses of 36 yards (with 4.5 sacks for minus 26 yards), plus 3 deflections and 1 forced fumble. He had 9 tackles (with a sack) at Notre Dame, 7 tackles (1.5 for a loss, with a sack) versus UCLA, 6 stops (with a sack) at Washington, 4 tackles against Arkansas (1 for a loss) and Oregon (2.5 for losses), and 3 stops versus Arizona State (with a sack), Washington State, Stanford, Fresno State and Texas. He made **2005 All-Pac-10 honorable mention**.

2004: Ellis backed up Mike Patterson at defensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in 11 games (all but Virginia Tech and Notre Dame), he made 2 tackles (1 each against Arizona State and Oregon State).

2003: Ellis redshirted as a freshman defensive tackle in 2003, his first year at USC. He suffered a left ankle fracture in 2003 fall practice, played briefly against BYU and then had midseason surgery, forcing him to miss the rest of the 2003 season (he was allowed to redshirt because of the early injury).

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2002 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, The Sporting News Hot 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division II first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star Lineman MVP and Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire Lineman MVP** selection as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at Chino (Calif.) High. He posted 122 tackles (35 solo), including 19 for losses (with 6.5 sacks), plus 1 blocked punt, 1 forced fumble and 2 fumble recoveries in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division II first team and Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire first team**. He had 108 tackles, including 16 for losses (with 10 sacks), in 2001.

He was on the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore first team** in 2000.

He also was on Chino's track team.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	50	8/36	3	0
2006 (Jr.)…	34	8/47	4#	2
2007 (Sr.)…	56	12.5/75	6	2
CAREER…….	142	28.5/158	13#	4

#Includes 1 blocked field goal

GAME-BY-GAME WITH SEDRICK ELLIS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho*	4	1/1	2	0
Nebraska*	5	1/15	2	0
Wash. St.*	1	0.5/1	0	0
Washington*	4	0/0	0	0
Stanford*	6	3/18	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	1	1
Notre Dame*	5	1.5/15	0	0
Oregon*	12	2/4	0	0
Oregon St.*	3	1.5/6	1	0
California*	6	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	4	2/15	0	0
UCLA*	4	0/0	0	1
2007 (Sr.)…	56	12.5/75	6	2

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas*	3	1/8	0	0
Washington*	5	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	5	2/9	0	0
Oregon St.*	5	2/9	0	0
Stanford*	1	0/0	1#	0
Oregon*	1	0/0	0	0
California*	4	0/0	1	1
Notre Dame*	2	1/9	0	0
UCLA*	2	0/0	1	1
Michigan (RB)*	6	2/12	1	0
2006 (Jr.)…	34	8/37	4#	2

#Includes 1 blocked field goal

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii*	1	0/0	1	0
Arkansas*	4	1/5	0	0
Oregon*	4	2.5/7	1	0
Arizona St.*	3	1/6	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame*	9	1/6	0	0
Washington*	6	1/8	0	0
Wash. St.*	3	0/0	0	0
Stanford*	3	0/0	0	0
California*	2	0/0	0	0
Fresno St.*	3	0/0	1	0
UCLA*	7	1.5/4	0	0
Texas* (RB)	3	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	50	8/36	3	0

*Starter

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	0/0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0

(4) KEVIN ELLISON
Safety, 6-1, 225, Jr./Jr., Inglewood, CA (Redondo Union HS)

2007: The solid, steady Ellison started for his second season at strong safety as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 54 tackles, including 6.5 for losses of 24 yards (with 2 sacks for minus 15 yards), plus 2 interceptions that he returned 9 yards (4.5 avg.), 6 deflections and 2 forced fumbles. He made the **2007 All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team**. He won **USC's Bob Chandler Award and Co-Lifter of the Year Award**.

He had 3 tackles and a deflection against Idaho, 3 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection at Nebraska, 3 tackles and a forced fumble against Washington State, 2 stops at Washington and 5 tackles against Stanford. He had a team-high 9 tackles against Arizona, 5 tackles (including 1.5 for a loss), an interception and 2 deflections at Notre Dame, 5 tackles (2 for a loss) at Oregon and 2 sacks among his 4 tackles against Oregon State. He added 8 tackles and had an interception that set up a USC field goal at California, 3 tackles and a deflection at Arizona State and 4 tackles versus UCLA. He had arthroscopic surgery on his left knee prior to 2007 spring practice.

2006: Ellison started all of his 2006 sophomore season at strong safety and did a sound job. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 64 tackles, including 6 for losses of 21 yards (with 1.5 sacks for minus 7 yards), plus an interception, 5 deflections and a forced fumble. He made **2006 Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American second team and All-Pac-10 honorable mention**. He won **USC's Jack Oakie "Rise and Shine" Award** (biggest hit). He had 2 tackles and a deflection against Arkansas, Nebraska and Arizona. He then had 7 tackles (0.5 for a loss) at Washington State, 9 tackles against Washington and 4 tackles, including 1.5 sacks, versus Arizona State. He added 6 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection at Oregon State and another 6 tackles with an interception at Stanford. He had 7 stops (1 for a loss) and a forced fumble against Oregon, a team-best 7 tackles with a deflection against California, 5 tackles (1 for a loss) against Notre Dame, 6 tackles (1 for a loss) at UCLA and 1 stop against Michigan.

2005: Ellison, who graduated a semester early from high school and enrolled at USC in the spring of 2005, was headed to an impressive season as a backup strong safety and key special teams player as a first-year freshman in 2005, appearing often in extra defensive back situations. But he tore ligaments and got a fracture in his left knee while making a crucial interception late in the Arizona State game and had surgery, sidelining him the rest of the season. Overall while appearing in USC's first 4 games of 2005, he made 6 tackles, the interception and a forced fumble. He had 3 tackles at Arizona State, 2 versus Arkansas (with a forced fumble) and 1 at Hawaii. He made the **2005 The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team**.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2004 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best of the Rest, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Division III, Los Angeles Times All-South Bay/Westside Player of the Year, South Bay Daily Breeze All-Area Player of the Year and All-Bay League MVP** as a senior running back and linebacker at Redondo Union High in Redondo Beach (Calif.). He ran for 1,661 yards on 230 carries (7.2 avg.) with 32 TDs and had 25 receptions for 414 yards (16.6 avg.) with 5 TDs on offense and 115 tackles, 10 tackles for loss, 5 sacks, 2 fumble recoveries, 2 forced fumbles and 2 interceptions (1 for a TD) in 2004. In one game, he ran for a school-record 322 yards on 18 carries (17.9 avg.).

As a junior in 2003, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team, All-CIF Division IV, South Bay Daily Breeze All-Area first team and All-Ocean League Co-MVP**. He had 1,402 yards on 222 carries (6.3 avg.) with 15 TDs and 15 receptions for 161 yards (10.7 avg.) with 1 TD, plus 101 tackles, 8 tackles for loss, 3 sacks, 2 interceptions (1 for a TD) and 1 fumble recovery in 2003.

He was a **2002 South Bay Daily Breeze All-Area and All-Ocean League Co-Defensive MVP** selection as a 2002 sophomore. In his career, he rushed for a school-record 3,718 yards on 578 carries (6.4 avg.) and had 297 tackles.

PERSONAL: He's a social science economics major at USC. His brother, Chris, was a defensive back at BYU in 1997 and 1998, while another brother, Keith, was a linebacker at Oregon State in 2004 and 2005 (he also played at San Diego State in 2002) who now plays with the NFL's Buffalo Bills. His cousin, Donminic Ellison, played basketball at Washington State and New Mexico State.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	64	6/21	5	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	54	6.5/24	6	0	2	9	4.5	0	9
CAREER…	124	12.5/45	11	0	4	9	2.3	0	9

GAME-BY-GAME WITH KEVIN ELLISON

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	3	1/3	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	9	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	5	1.5/4	2	0	1	9	9.0	0	9
Oregon*	5	2/2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	4	2/15	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	8	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	54	6.5/24	6	0	2	9	4.5	0	9

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas*	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	7	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	9	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	4	1.5/7	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	6	1/2	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	6	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	7	1/8	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	7	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	5	1/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	6	1/2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	64	6/21	5	0	1	0	0.0	0	0

*Starter

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Hawaii	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arkansas	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	3	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0

(40) RHETT ELLISON
Tight End, 6-5, 235, Fr./Fr., Portola Valley, CA (St. Francis HS)

2007: Ellison redshirted as a freshman tight end in 2007, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **2006 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best of the Rest and San Jose Mercury News All-Area first team** as a senior linebacker and tight end at St. Francis High in Mountain View (Calif.). He

had 49 tackles, 2 sacks and 1 interception on defense and 31 receptions for 394 yards (12.7 avg.) with 2 TDs on offense in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he made 27 tackles and 4 sacks, plus caught 26 passes for 301 yards (11.6 avg.) with 5 TDs.

PERSONAL: His father, Riki (Gray) Ellison, lettered at linebacker for 4 seasons (1978-80, 1982) at USC, where he was a member of the 1978 national championship team and earned All-Conference honors in 1979, then played in the NFL with the San Francisco 49ers (1983-89), where he appeared in the 1985 and 1989 Super Bowls, and Los Angeles Raiders (1990-92). His sister, Wesley, played water polo at Michigan for 4 years (2004-07).

(2) C.J. GABLE
Tailback, 6-1, 195, So./So., Sylmar, CA (Sylmar HS)

2007: Gable, who has significant starting experience at tailback and opened eyes with his effective showing in 2006 despite his youth, was set to continue in that role as a sophomore in 2007. He started USC's first 2 games and appeared in the third game of 2007 before suffering a strained abdomen prior to the Washington game and having season-ending surgery. Because of the early injury, he was allowed to redshirt the 2007 season. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 3 games, he ran for 143 yards on 13 carries (11.0 avg.), caught an 8-yard pass for a TD and returned 2 kickoffs for 34 yards (17.0 avg.).

He had 68 yards on 8 carries against Idaho to lead USC in rushing for the fifth game in a row and added an 8-yard scoring catch while starting his second consecutive opener (the last Trojan tailback to do so was Sultan McCullough in 2000-01). He added 69 yards on 4 carries (including a 40-yarder) and had a 19-yard kickoff return at Nebraska. He then had a 6-yard run and a 15-yard kickoff return against Washington State. He sprained his neck during 2007 spring practice and missed the last half of spring drills.

2006: As just a first-year freshman in 2006, Gable was impressive as a tailback and kickoff returner. He started 5 games—the opener at Arkansas and the last 4 games (California, Notre Dame, UCLA, Michigan)—and was USC's rushing leader in the last 4 games. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 434 yards (third on USC) on 111 carries (3.9 avg.) with 4 TDs, plus 9 receptions for 90 yards (10.0 avg.) and 16 kickoff returns for 432 yards (27.0 avg.). He was 15th nationally in kickoff returns (27.0, second in Pac-10). He made **2006 Rivals.com Freshman All-American second team (as a kickoff returner), The Sporting News Freshman All-American honorable mention (as a tailback and kickoff returner), All-Pac-10 honorable mention (as a kickoff returner) and The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team (as a tailback and kickoff returner)**.

He became the first USC true freshman to start an opener at tailback when he did so at Arkansas as he had 51 yards on 12 attempts with a 3-yard TD. He then had 22 yards on 6 rushes against Nebraska, 34 yards on 5 carries and had a 5-yard reception at Arizona and he rushed for 6 yards on 3 tries and returned 4 kickoffs for 127 yards (including a 55-yarder) at Washington State. He returned 4 kickoffs for 98 yards against Washington, had 26 yards on 5 rushes with a 2-yard TD and also returned a kickoff 20 yards against Arizona State, had a 5-yard run and 2 kickoff returns for 40 yards at Oregon State, added 1 yard on 2 tries at Stanford and gained 14 yards on 6 tries and scored a 2-yard TD (he also had a 41-yard kickoff return) against Oregon. He started against California and ran for a game-best and career-high 91 yards on 19 carries (he also had a career-long 35-yard reception and returned a kickoff 33 yards for 159 all-purpose yards) to earn **Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week** honors. He had a game-best 107 yards on 20 carries (both career highs) while starting against Notre Dame, and he also caught a 21-yard pass. He had a team-best 52 yards on 19 carries (with a 1-yard TD), caught 3 passes for 32 yards and returned a kickoff 24 yards while starting at UCLA. Against Michigan, he ran for 25 yards on 13 carries, caught 2 passes for minus 3 yards and returned 2 kickoffs for 49 yards.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2005 Parade All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American second team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Daily News All-Area Defensive MVP and All-L.A. City Offensive MVP** as a senior running back and defensive back at Sylmar (Calif.) High. He rushed for 2,298 yards on 209 carries (11.0 avg.) with 34 TDs and caught 19 passes for 360 yards (18.9 avg.) with 4 scores on offense and had 56 tackles and 7 interceptions on defense in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he was a **Student Sports Junior All-American, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, Los Angeles Times All-San Fernando Valley and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area honorable mention**. He ran for 2,026 yards (11.2 avg.) with 27 TDs, had 285 receiving yards and made 85 tackles and 5 interceptions in 2004.
He had 509 rushing yards on 80 carries (6.4 avg.) as a sophomore in 2003. He was the first player in Sylmar history to rush for 2,000 yards in 2 seasons.

PERSONAL: His initials stand for Carl Jr.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	111	434	3.9	4	31	9	90	10.0	0	35
2007 (So.)…	13	143	11.0	0	40	1	8	8.0	1	8
CAREER…….	124	577	4.7	4	40	10	98	9.8	1	35

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	16	432	27.0	0	55
2007 (So.)…	2	24	12.0	0	19
CAREER…….	18	456	25.3	0	55

GAME-BY-GAME WITH C.J. GABLE

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	8	68	8.5	0	33	1	8	8.0	0	8
Nebraska*	4	69	17.3	0	40	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	6	6.0	0	6	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	13	143	11.0	0	40	1	8	8.0	1	8

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska	1	19	19.0	0	19
Wash. St.	1	15	15.0	0	15
2007 (So.)…	2	24	12.0	0	19

2006

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas*	12	51	4.3	1	11	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska	6	22	3.7	0	9	1	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	5	34	6.8	0	10	1	5	5.0	0	5
Wash. St.	3	6	2.0	0	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	5	26	5.2	1	12	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	5	5.0	0	5	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	2	1	0.5	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	6	14	2.3	1	5	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	19	91	4.8	0	24	1	35	35.0	0	35
Notre Dame*	20	107	5.4	0	31	1	21	21.0	0	21
UCLA*	19	52	2.7	1	9	3	32	10.7	0	17
Michigan (RB)*	13	25	1.9	0	9	2	-3	-1.5	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	111	434	3.9	4	31	9	90	10.0	0	35

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Wash. St.	4	127	31.8	0	55
Washington	4	98	24.5	0	34
Arizona St.	1	20	20.0	0	20
Oregon St.	2	40	20.0	0	25
Oregon	1	41	41.0	0	41
California*	1	33	33.0	0	33
UCLA*	1	24	24.0	0	24
Michigan (RB)*	2	49	24.5	0	28
2006 (Fr.)…	16	432	27.0	0	55

*Starter

(54) CHRIS GALIPPO
Linebacker, 6-2, 235, Fr./Fr., Corona, CA (Servite HS)

2007: Galippo saw action in USC's first 3 games as a backup linebacker and on special teams before suffering a herniated disk in his back prior to the Washington game and having season-ending surgery. Because of the early injury, he was allowed to redshirt the 2007 season. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 3 games, he had 8 tackles. He had 2 tackles against Idaho, 4 at Nebraska and 2 versus Washington State.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **USA Today All-USA first team, Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Scout.com All-American, Lemming All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest Defensive MVP, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Pac-5 Division first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team, Orange County Register All-Orange County Defensive MVP, U.S. Army All-American Bowl MVP and All-Trinity League Co-MVP** as a senior at Servite High in Anaheim (Calif.). He had 98 tackles, 20 tackles for loss, 7 sacks, 2 forced fumbles, 5 blocked field goals, 3 deflections and 1 interception as a linebacker and had 354 rushing yards on 48 carries (7.4 avg.) with 3 TDs and caught 25 passes for 297 yards (11.9 avg.) with 3 TDs on offense.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-CIF Division I first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, Orange County Register All-Orange County Defensive MVP and All-Serra League Co-Defensive MVP** while recording 161 tackles, 8 tackles for loss, 6 sacks and 4 blocked punts on defense and catching 22 passes for 380 yards (17.3 avg.) with 5 TDs on offense.

He had 69 tackles as a sophomore in 2004 when he made **Student Sports Sophomore All-American and Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore first team**.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH CHRIS GALIPPO

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	2	0/0	0	0
Nebraska	4	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	2	0/0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	0	0

(29) BRODERICK GREEN
Tailback, 6-1, 230, Fr./Fr., Little Rock, AR (Pulaski Academy)

2007: Green redshirted as a freshman tailback in 2007, his first year at USC. He sprained his foot in 2007 fall camp and re-sprained it in the middle of the 2007 season, which limited him.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Parade All-American, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American third team, Prep Star 100, Super Prep All-Southwest, Prep Star All-Southeast and Scout.com All-Southwest** as a senior running back at Pulaski Academy in Little Rock (Ark.). He ran for 2,000 yards and 23 TDs in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he made **All-Region, All-Metro and All-Conference** while rushing for 1,664 yards on 196 carries (8.5 avg.) with 21 TDs and catching 45 passes for 563 yards (12.5 avg.) with 5 TDs.

PERSONAL: His half-brother is Kansas City Chiefs safety Greg Wesley.

(14) GARRETT GREEN
Wide Receiver-Quarterback, 6-2, 205, So./So., Chatsworth, CA (Notre Dame HS)

2007: One of USC's most versatile players, Green served as a backup wide receiver and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. He also was available at quarterback. He appeared in all 12 games in 2007, but did not catch a pass or make a tackle. He won **USC's Howard Jones/Football Alumni Club Academic Award**.

2006: Green began 2006, his first year at USC, as a freshman backup quarterback, but was moved to safety early in the season (he also continued to work some at quarterback late in the season). Overall in 2006 while appearing in 10 games (all but Arkansas and Nebraska), he had 1 tackle (against Oregon). He played mainly on special teams, as his only action at safety was briefly against Stanford and Oregon.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2005 Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division III Offensive MVP and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area second team** selection as a senior quarterback and defensive back at Notre Dame High in Sherman Oaks (Calif.). He hit 88-of-141 passes (62.4%) for 1,527 yards and 14 TDs and also rushed for 945 yards on 92 carries (10.3 avg.) with 8 scores in 2005 despite missing 3 early games with a thumb injury.

As a junior in 2004, he made **Student Sports Junior All-American, Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section second team, All-CIF Division III, Los Angeles Times All-San Fernando Valley MVP, Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team and All-League**. He was 112-of-168 passing (66.7%) for 1,850 yards with 15 TDs and just 3 interceptions and added 900 rushing yards on 94 carries (9.6 avg.) with 9 TDs in 2004 as Notre Dame won its second consecutive CIF Division III title.

He was named to the **2003 Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore, All-CIF Division III and All-League** squads as a sophomore.

He made **All-League** as a freshman in 2002. He was 38-2 as a starting quarterback (including 36 consecutive wins). Current Trojan Cary Harris also prepped at Notre Dame.

He also ran track at Notre Dame, with bests of 14.44 in the 110-meter high hurdles and 38.18 in the 300-meter intermediate hurdles.

PERSONAL: He's a business administration major at USC with a B+ average (3.50 GPA). His cousin is former Purdue and USC quarterback Brandon Hance.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH GARRETT GREEN

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(93) EVERSON GRIFFEN
Defensive End, 6-3, 265, Fr./Fr., Avondale, AZ (Agua Fria HS)

2007: Griffen had an impressive showing as a first-year freshman backup defensive end in 2007, playing primarily in pass rushing situations. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 20 tackles, including 5.5 for losses of 30 yards (all were sacks), 2 forced fumbles, 1 fumble recovery and 1 deflection. He even started 2 games (the Idaho opener and then Arizona State). He became the first USC true freshman to start an opener on the defensive line since Tim Ryan in 1986 against Illinois and the first true freshman to start on the defensive line since Shaun Cody did so in 2001 against Utah. He was named to the **2007 The Sporting News Freshman All-American first team, Rivals.com Freshman All-American first team, Scout.com Freshman All-American first team and Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American second team,** plus was **The Sporting News Pac-10 Defensive Freshman of the Year and was an All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick.

He had 2 tackles at Nebraska, 1 stop against Washington State, a sack and forced fumble against Arizona, a tackle and deflection at Notre Dame and 2 stops at Oregon. He then had 3.5 sacks among his 6 tackles (with a forced fumble) against Oregon State (it was the most sacks by a Trojan since Tim Ryan had 4 against UCLA in 1989) to earn **Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week** honors. He had a tackle at California, then 6 tackles (with a sack) and a fumble recovery to set up a USC touchdown at Arizona State.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep Player of the Year, Scout.com Player of the Year, Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Scout.com All-American, Lemming All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100 and Gatorade Arizona Player of the Year** as a senior at Agua Fria High in Avondale (Ariz.). He had 77 tackles, 16 sacks and a fumble recovery as a defensive end and ran for 1,251 yards on 159 carries (7.9 avg.) with 20 TDs and had 6 receptions with 2 TDs as a running back in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he had 70 tackles, 6 sacks and 3 fumble recoveries, plus ran for 794 yards on 132 carries (6.1 avg.) with 10 TDs and had 168 receiving yards.

PERSONAL: His cousin is Arizona State tailback Keegan Herring.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	20	5.5/30	1	1

GAME-BY-GAME WITH EVERSON GRIFFEN

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	1/5	0	0
Notre Dame	1	9/0	1	0
Oregon	2	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	6	3.5/18	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	6	1/7	0	1
2007 (Fr.)…	20	5.5/30	1	1

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(7) CARY HARRIS
Cornerback, 6-0, 180, Jr./Jr., Pacoima, CA (Notre Dame HS)

2007: The experienced Harris started for his second season at cornerback as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while starting 11 games (all but Washington), he had 38 tackles, including 1 for a loss of 1 yard, plus 6 deflectios and 1 forced fumble. He dislocated his right shoulder against Washington State and missed the Washington game. He was a **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick.

He had 2 tackles against Idaho, 7 at Nebraska, 1 against Washington State, 5 against Stanford (with 3 deflections) and 6 versus Arizona. He had 2 tackles (1 for a loss) and forced a fumble that USC recovered at Notre Dame, then had 4 stops at Oregon, 3 tackles and a deflection against Oregon State, 2 tackles at California, another 2 at Arizona State (with a deflection), then 4 stops with a deflection against UCLA. He had surgery on a sprained finger prior to 2007 spring practice.

2006: Harris did a reliable job while starting most of 2006 at cornerback as a sophomore. Overall while appearing in all 13 games (he started all but Arkansas and Arizona State), he had 48 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss of 3 yards, plus an interception that he returned 28 yards, 2 deflections and a fumble recovery. He also returned 6 kickoffs early in the season for 93 yards (15.5 avg.). He had 3 tackles, an interception and 3 kickoff returns for 50 yards at Arkansas, then a tackle, a fumble recovery and returned 3 kickoffs for 43 yards against Nebraska. He added 5 stops at Arizona, 6 at Washington State, 2 against Washington, 3 versus

Arziona State, 4 at Oregon State and 3 at Stanford. He had a team-high 10 tackles (0.5 for loss) against Oregon, then 2 tackles and a deflection against California. He had 3 tackles (1 for a loss) and 2 deflections against Notre Dame, 2 tackles at UCLA and 4 stops versus Michigan.

2005: Harris served as a reserve cornerback and played on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he made 9 tackles and 1 deflection. He had 2 stops versus Washington (with a deflection), Stanford and UCLA.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2004 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, EA Sports All-American honorable mention, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division III Defensive Player of the Year, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-San Fernando Valley and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team** selection as a senior running back and cornerback at Notre Dame High in Sherman Oaks (Calif.). He rushed for 1,800 yards with 24 TDs and had 81 tackles, 19 deflections, 2 forced fumbles and 2 interceptions in 2004. Notre Dame went 14-0 and won the CIF Division III championship in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section second team and All-CIF Division III** while gaining 1,150 rushing yards (7.5 yards per carry) with 17 TDs and posting 73 tackles, 6 deflections, 3 forced fumbles, 2 interceptions and 1 fumble recovery.

He was named to the **Cal-Hi Sports Sophomore Al-State and All-CIF Division III** squads in 2002. In his career, Notre Dame won 3 consecutive CIF Division III crowns.

He also ran track at Notre Dame, with a best of 10.75 in the 100 meters. Current Trojan Garrett Green also attended Notre Dame.

PERSONAL: He's a health promotion and disease prevention major at USC with a B- average (2.73 GPA) at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	9	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	48	1.5/3	3	1	1	28	28.0	0	28
2007 (Jr.)…	38	1/1	6	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	95	2.5/4	10	1	1	28	28.0	0	28

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (So.)…	6	93	15.5	0	21

GAME-BY-GAME WITH CARY HARRIS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho*	2	0/0	0	0
Nebraska*	7	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.*	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford*	5	0/0	3	0
Arizona*	6	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame*	2	1/1	0	0
Oregon*	4	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.*	3	0/0	1	0
California*	2	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	2	0/0	1	0
UCLA*	4	0/0	1	0
2007 (Jr.)…	38	1/1	6	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	3	0/0	0	0	1	28	28.0	0	28
Nebraska*	1	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	10	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	3	1/2	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	48	1.5/3	3	1	1	28	28.0	0	28

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	3	50	16.7	0	21
Nebraska*	3	43	14.3	0	17
2006 (So.)…	6	93	15.5	0	21

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2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Washington	2	0/0	1	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	2	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Fresno State	1	0/0	0	0
UCLA	2	0/0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	9	0/0	1	0

(98) DaJOHN HARRIS
Defensive Tackle, 6-4, 270, Fr./Fr., Inglewood, CA (Serra HS)

2007: Harris redshirted as a freshman defensive tackle in 2007, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools first team, All-CIF Northwest Division first team, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team and All-Del Rey League Lineman MVP** as a senior at Serra High in Gardena (Calif.). He had 64 tackles and 9 sacks as a defensive lineman, plus 19 receptions for 304 yards (6.0 avg.) with 4 TDs and 35 yards on 5 carries (7.0 avg.) primarily as a tight end on offense in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay second team and All-Del Rey League first team** while getting 44 tackles, 7 sacks, 1 fumble recovery and 1 interception on defense and catching 13 passes for 145 yards (11.2 avg.) with 1 TD on offense.

He had 50 tackles and 4 sacks, plus 4 receptions, as a 2004 sophomore.

(26) WILL HARRIS
Safety, 6-1, 205, So.*/Jr., Covina, CA (Charter Oak HS)

2007: Harris, whose early part of his career at USC had been hampered by injuries, was a backup strong safety and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 9 games (all but Idaho, Oregon and California), he had 5 tackles. He had 2 at Arizona State and 1 each versus Nebraska, Washington State and Oregon State. He missed the Idaho opener after suffering a sprained left ankle in 2007 fall camp.

2006: Harris was set to serve as a backup free safety as a sophomore in 2006, but missed the 2006 campaign after tearing ligaments in his right knee while playing pickup basketball in May of 2006, which required surgery. He missed some of 2006 spring drills while recuperating from a 2005 knee injury.

2005: Harris, originally a safety, was moved to cornerback early in his 2005 first-year freshman season and saw limited action there as a reserve and on special teams, but his season was plagued by injuries. He missed USC's first 6 games because of an ankle sprain suffered in 2005 fall camp, then he sprained his right knee against Stanford and was sidelined the rest of the season. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 3 games (Washington, Washington State and Stanford), he made 1 tackle (versus Washington State).

HIGH SCHOOL: He made **2004 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section second team, All-CIF Division VI, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-San Gabriel Valley Player of the Year and All-Miramonte League MVP** as a senior defensive back, wide receiver and quarterback at Charter Oak High in Covina (Calif.). He had 108 tackles, 6 interceptions (2 for TDs), 3 fumble recoveries and 3 forced fumbles on defense, while on offense he had 63 receptions for 640 yards (10.2 avg.) with 11 TDs, ran for 372 yards on 23 carries (16.2 avg.) with 4 scores and completed 5 passes for 100 yards and 2 TDs.

As a junior in 2003, he was a **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-Valley and All-League first team** choice while getting 64 tackles, 7 interceptions, 2 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery, plus catching 22 passes for 400 yards (18.2 avg.) with 6 TDs.

He made **All-League** as a sophomore in 2002.

He also played basketball at Charter Oak, earning All-CIF and All-League MVP honors.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	5	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	6	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH WILL HARRIS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	1	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	2	0/0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	5	0/0	0	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(31) STANLEY HAVILI
Fullback, 6-1, 225, Fr.*/So., Salt Lake City, UT (Cottonwood HS)

2007: Havili, who showed great promise at fullback in 2006 before getting hurt, started all of his 2007 redshirt freshman season and had a good showing. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he gained 129 yards on 20 carries (6.4 avg.) with 2 TDs and caught 30 passes for 185 yards (6.2 avg.) with 5 TDs. He was a **2007 Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick.

He had a game-best 5 receptions for 22 yards (including a 3-yard score) against Idaho to become the first fullback to top Troy in catches since Charlie Landrigan did so in 2001 against Notre Dame. At Nebraska, he ran for 52 yards on 2 carries (including a 50-yarder on USC's opening play) with a 2-yard TD run and caught 3 passes for 22 yards with a 5-yard TD. He had a 1-yard scoring run and caught 2 passes for 16 yards against Washington State, then caught 1 pass for no yards at Washington. He caught 2 passes for 11 yards and had a 7-yard run versus Stanford. He gained 7 yards on 2 carries and 4 yards on 3 catches against Arizona. He ran for 31 yards on 6 carries and caught 3 passes for 18 yards (including a 5-yard TD) at Notre Dame. He ran for 10 yards on 3 carries and had another 10 yards on 3 receptions at Oregon. He had 1 catch for no yards against Oregon State, then caught a 5-yard TD pass at California. He caught 2 passes for 11 yards (with a 5-yard TD grab) and had a 2-yard rush at Arizona State. He caught 4 passes for 66 yards and ran for 9 yards on 2 carries against UCLA.

2006: Havili was off to a fast start as a freshman fullback in 2006, his first year at USC, but he broke his left leg at Arizona and was sidelined the rest of the year, allowing him to redshirt because of the early-season injury. He appeared in the first 3 games (on special teams against Nebraska and Arkansas, then starting at fullback at Arizona before getting hurt). Overall in 2006, he had 4 catches for 24 yards (6.0 avg.), all at Arizona. He and tailback Emmanuel Moody became the first USC true freshmen fullback/tailback combo to start a game together when they did so at Arizona.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2005 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Midlands, Prep Star All-Midlands, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-State 4A first team and All-Utah Region 6 MVP** honors as a senior fullback at Cottonwood High in Salt Lake City (Ut.). He had 2,652 all-purpose yards (including 1,500 rushing yards and 1,000 receiving yards) and scored 32 TDs in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he made **All-State first team and All-Region** as he rushed for 1,900 yards on 224 carries (8.5 avg.) with 23 TDs.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	24	6.0	0	8
2007 (So.)…	20	129	6.4	2	50	30	185	6.2	5	27
CAREER…….	20	129	6.4	2	50	34	209	6.1	5	27

GAME-BY-GAME WITH STANLEY HAVILI

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	1	10	10.0	0	10	5	22	4.4	1	9
Nebraska*	2	52	26.0	1	50	3	22	7.3	1	11
Wash. St.*	1	1	1.0	1	1	2	16	8.0	0	13
Washington*	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	1	7	7.0	0	7	2	11	5.5	0	8
Arizona*	2	7	3.5	0	4	3	4	1.3	0	3
Notre Dame*	6	31	5.2	0	11	3	18	6.0	1	11
Oregon*	4	10	2.5	0	3	3	10	3.3	0	5
Oregon St.*	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
California*	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	5	5.0	1	5
Arizona St.*	1	2	2.0	0	2	2	11	5.5	1	6
UCLA*	2	9	4.5	0	8	4	66	16.5	0	27
2007 (So.)…	20	129	6.4	2	50	30	185	6.2	5	27

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arizona*	4	24	6.0	0	8
2006 (Fr.)…	4	24	6.0	0	8

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(8) VIDAL HAZELTON
Wide Receiver, 6-3, 210, So./So., New York, NY
(Hargrave Military Academy)

2007: Hazelton started most of his 2007 sophomore season at wide receiver (flanker) and emerged as one of USC's key pass catchers. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games (starting 8 times), he had 49 receptions (second on USC) for 535 yards (10.9 avg.) and 4 TDs and also had a 12-yard run. He started the Idaho opener and then USC's final 7 games at flanker. His 49 catches in 2007 is tied for 25th on USC's season list.

He had 4 receptions for 44 yards (including a spectacular 1-handed, 1-yard TD grab) against Idaho. He had a 2-yard catch at Nebraska, then added 6 receptions for 47 yards with a 20-yard TD against Washington State. He had a 6-yard catch at Washington, then added 4 catches for 58 yards against Stanford and 3 catches for 24 yards against Arizona. He had 3 receptions for 80 yards (including a zigzagging 48-yard TD) at Notre Dame. He caught a game-high and career-best 8 passes for 88 yards at Oregon. He had a game-high 5 catches for 53 yards against Oregon State, then had 4 catches for 50 yards at California and 5 receptions for 36 yards at Arizona State (he also gained 12 rushing yards on a lateral pass). He had 5 catches for 47 yards against UCLA.

2006: Hazelton was a backup wide receiver as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. Overall while appearing in 11 games (all but Nebraska and UCLA), he caught an 8 yard pass (against Washington) and ran a reverse 7 yards (at Oregon State).

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2005 Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American third team, U.S. Army All-American Game participant, Super Prep All-Mid Atlantic Offensive MVP and Prep Star All-Atlantic** choice as a senior wide receiver and defensive back at Hargrave Military Academy in Chatham (Va.). He had 41 receptions for 942 yards (23.0 avg.) with 13 TDs in 2005.

As a junior in 2005 at Moore Catholic High in State Island (N.Y.), he caught 39 passes for 784 yards (20.1 avg.) with 17 TDs, ran for 240 yards with 4 scores and posted 38 tackles, 3 sacks and 2 interceptions for TDs.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	1	8	8.0	0	8	1	7	7.0	0	7
2007 (So.)…	49	535	10.9	4	48	1	12	12.0	0	12
CAREER…….	50	543	10.9	4	48	2	19	9.5	0	12

GAME-BY-GAME WITH VIDAL HAZELTON

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	4	44	11.0	1	19
Nebraska	1	2	2.0	0	2
Wash. St.	6	47	7.8	1	20
Washington	1	6	6.0	0	6
Stanford	4	58	14.5	0	24
Arizona*	3	24	8.0	0	16
Notre Dame*	3	80	26.7	1	48
Oregon*	8	88	11.0	0	28
Oregon St.*	5	53	10.6	0	30
California*	4	50	12.5	0	21
Arizona St.*	5	36	7.2	1	11
UCLA*	5	47	9.4	0	18
2007 (So.)…	49	535	10.9	4	48

*Starter

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Washington	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	7	7.0	0	7
2006 (Fr.)…	1	8	8.0	0	8	1	7	7.0	0	7

(74) ZACK HEBERER
Offensive Guard, 6-5, 300, Fr.*/So., San Pedro, CA (San Pedro HS)

2007: Heberer got his 2007 redshirt freshman season off to a promising start by starting 2 mid-season games (Stanford and Arizona) before separating his shoulder in the Arizona game and missing the next contest at Notre Dame. Overall, he appeared in 11 games, on special teams and as a backup guard in those other 9 games. He was named to the **2007 The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team**.

2006: Heberer redshirted as a freshman offensive guard in 2006, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made **2005 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-L.A. City first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team and All-Marine League MVP** as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at San Pedro (Calif.) High. He had 56 tackles and 9 sacks in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he made **All-L.A. City, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay second team and All-Marine League first team**.

PERSONAL: He likes to surf and free dive.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(92) TREY HENDERSON
Defensive End, 6-3, 265, Fr./Fr., Vancouver, British Columbia (Vancouver College HS)

2007: Henderson redshirted as a freshman defensive end in 2007, his first year at USC. He has arthroscopic surgery for torn cartilage in his right knee in 2007 fall camp and was sidelined for USC's first 6 games.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **All-AAA Western Conference first team** as a senior defensive end and tight end at Vancouver (British Columbia) College High. He had 40 tackles and 8 sacks in 2006. Vancouver College was the runnerup in the 2006 Provincial Championship game.

As a 2004 sophomore, he made **All-Conference** as he had 24 catches for 272 yards (11.3 avg.) with 3 TDs.

He also competed in basketball and track at Vancouver College, where he set the Canadian youth record in the hammer throw (221 feet) and was the 2005 British Columbia Junior champion, British Columbia Juvenile champion and Canadian Junior silver medalist in 2005.

PERSONAL: His real first name is Nolan. He is believed to be the first Canadian player offered a scholarship to play football at USC.

(77) THOMAS HERRING
Offensive Tackle-Offensive Guard, 6-6, 300, So.*/Jr., Los Angeles, CA (Fremont HS)

2007: Herring was switched to offensive guard from offensive tackle in the spring of 2007 and was available at either position as a sophomore in 2007. He appeared in USC's first 7 games as a backup and on special teams, but he dislocated his kneecap prior to the Oregon game and was sidelined the rest of the season.

2006: Herrring served as a backup right offensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2006, but only saw brief action in 1 game (Michigan).

2005: Herring redshirted as a freshman offensive tackle in 2005, his first year at USC. He was sidelined all season after suffering torn ligaments in his knee in the summer of 2005.

2004: Herring originally signed with USC in 2004, but did not qualify for admission, so he sat out the 2004 season.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2003 Parade All-American, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Insiders.com All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Tom Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-L.A. City first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-Central City Lineman of the Year** selection as a senior two-way tackle and tight end at Fremont High in Los Angeles (Calif.).

As a junior in 2002, he made the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-L.A. City, Los Angeles Times All-Central City and All-League** squads as he had 17 receptions (including a 65-yard TD) on offense and 50 tackles with 8 sacks on defense.

He also played basketball at Fremont.

He spent his 2000 freshman season at Monrovia (Calif.) High.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

(76) NICK HOWELL
Offensive Guard-Center, 6-5, 275, So.*/Jr., Fresno, CA (Bullard HS)

2007: Howell, who served as a backup at offensive guard and center as a sophomore in 2007, missed USC's first 6 games while recovering from a sports hernia suffered in 2007 fall camp. He played briefly at Notre Dame in his only action in 2007.

2006: Howell served as a backup center as a redshirt freshman in 2006 (he also was available to play offensive tackle). He appeared in all 13 games in 2006, primarily on special teams. He saw brief action at center in 4 contests (Arkansas, Stanford, Oregon, Michigan).

2005: Howell redshirted as a freshman offensive tackle in 2005, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2004 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, Fresno Bee All-Star and All-League** notice as a senior two-way lineman at Bullard High in Fresno (Calif.).

He also played volleyball at Bullard. Current Trojan Anthony McCoy also prepped at Bullard.

PERSONAL: He's an American studies major at USC. His father, Pat Howell, was an All-American offensive guard at USC in 1978 when the Trojans won the national championship and he then played in the NFL with the Atlanta Falcons (1979-83) and Houston Oilers (1983-85).

(96) LAWRENCE JACKSON
Defensive End, 6-5, 270, Sr.*/Sr., Inglewood, CA (Inglewood HS)

· **CAREER:** Jackson has 49 tackles for loss and 29.5 sacks in his career.

2007: The quick Jackson started for his fourth season at defensive end as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he had 55 tackles, including a team-best 14 for losses of 72 yards (with a team-high 9.5 sacks for minus 59 yards), plus 1 fumble recovery, 1 forced fumble and 3 deflections. He is tied for 18th nationally in sacks (0.8, tied for third in Pac-10). He was named to the **2007 AP All-American second team, Phil Steele's All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com All-American third team, All-Pac-10 first team** (making it for the second time after being so honored in 2005), **ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team**. He was a **USC team captain**. He won **USC's Co-Defensive Player of the Year Award**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**. He had surgery on his right ankle prior to 2007 spring practice.

He had 3 tackles and a deflection against Idaho, then 6 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss (with a sack), at Nebraska, 2 sacks against Washington State and 6 tackles, including 1.5 for losses (with a sack), at Washington. He had 4 tackles versus Stanford, 1 stop against Arizona, 3 tackles at Notre Dame. He added 11 tackles (1 for a loss) at Oregon, 3 tackles (1.5 sacks) and a deflection against Oregon State and , 5 stops and had a fumble recovery late in the game at California. He had 4 sacks, tying the USC game record held by many (last set by Tim Ryan against UCLA in 1989), and 5.5 tackles for a loss (a USC record) among his 8 overall tackles at Arizona State (he also forced a fumble) to earn **Walter Camp Football Foundation National Defensive Player of the Week and Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Week** honor. He had 3 stops (including 1 for a loss) and a deflection against UCLA.

2006: Jackson started for his third season at defensive end as a junior in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 43 tackles, including 11 for losses of 47 yards (with 4 sacks for minus 26 yards), plus 3 deflections, 2 blocked field goals, an interception, a fumble recovery and a forced fumble. He made the **2006 All-Pac-10 second team, Scout.com All-Pac-10 first team and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He won **USC's Defensive Lineman of the Year Award**. He missed some of 2006 spring practice with a thigh bruise.

He had 2 tackles at Arkansas, 3 tackles and a deflection versus Nebraska, blocked a field goal at Arizona and 3 tackles (0.5 for loss) at Washington State. He added 3 stops (1 for a loss) against Washington, 5 tackles (1 for a loss) versus Arizona State and 2 tackles, a blocked field goal and a deflection at Oregon State. He had a tackle for a loss at Stanford, then had a game-best 10 tackles, including 4 for losses (with 3 sacks), against Oregon. He had 5 tackles, including 1.5 for a loss (with a sack), plus he forced a fumble and had a deflection against California. He had a tackle for a loss against Notre Dame, then 6 tackles (1 for a loss) at UCLA. He had a tackle, plus an interception and a fumble recovery that both led to USC scores, against Michigan.

2005: Jackson started for his second season at defensive end as a sophomore in 2005 and did a stellar job. Overall in 2005 while starting all 13 games, he had 46 tackles, including 13 for losses of 76 yards (with a team-best 10 sacks for minus 60 yards), plus 6 deflections, a team-best 2 fumble recoveries, a team-best 4 forced fumbles and a blocked PAT. He was a **2005 Rivals.com All-American third teamer**. He made the **2005 All-Pac-10 first team**. He made the **2005 ESPN.com All-Pac-10 team**. He won **USC's Defensive Lineman of the Year and Co-Player of the Game versus UCLA Awards**.

He had 4 tackles (including 2 sacks and a deflection) at Hawaii, 4 tackles each against Arkansas and Oregon, a team-high 7 tackles (including 2.5 for losses, with 1.5 sacks) at Arizona State, 2 stops and 2 deflections against Arizona, and 4 tackles (1 for a loss) at Notre Dame). He added 2 tackles (with a sack) and a deflection at Washington, then 3 tackles (1 for a loss), a forced fumble and a fumble recovery on the same play that led to a USC TD and also a blocked PAT against Washington State. He had 3 stops (with a sack), a fumble recovery (to set up a USC TD) and 2 deflections against Stanford, a tackle at California and then 7 tackles (with a sack) and a forced fumble that USC recovered to set up a field goal against Fresno State. He had 5 tackles, including 3 sacks, and 2 forced fumbles (USC recovered the second one) against UCLA.

2004: Jackson started at defensive end as a redshirt freshman in 2004 and did a commendable job. Overall in 2004 while appearing in all 13 games (he started all but BYU), he had 32 tackles, including 11 for losses of 41 yards (with 6 sacks for 31 yards), plus a deflection and an interception (against Arizona, which he returned 19 yards to set up a TD). He made the **2004 Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American first team, The Sporting News and Rivals.com Freshman All-American second teams and The Sporting News Freshman All-Pac-10 first team**. He had 5 tackles against Oregon State (1.5 for losses) and Notre Dame (2 for losses) and 4 stops against Arizona State.

2003: Jackson redshirted as a freshman defensive end in 2003, his first year at USC. He won **USC's Service Team Defensive Player of the Year** award. After the season, he had arthroscopic surgery on his right ankle to remove debris.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2002 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Student Sports All-American first team, Tom Lemming All-American, CNNSI.com All-American first team, The Insiders.com All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, The Sporting News Hot 100, Tom Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Division III first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team, Los Angeles Times All-South Bay/ Westside Lineman MVP, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team and All-Bay League MVP** honors as a senior at Inglewood (Calif.) High. He had 142 tackles, with 11 sacks, plus 4 fumble recoveries and 2 interceptions in 2002 while playing defensive line and middle linebacker.

As a junior in 2001, he made the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Division X first team, Los Angeles times All-Star first team, Los Angeles Times All-South Bay Lineman of the Year, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team and All-Ocean League Defensive MVP**. He had 134 tackles, including 22 sacks, plus 2 interceptions (1 returned for a TD), 7 forced fumbles, 3 fumble recoveries and 3 blocked kicks in 2001. Inglewood made it to the 2001 CIF Division X semifinals.

During his 2000 sophomore season, Inglewood advanced to the CIF Division X finals.

In his career, he had 57 sacks.

He also was on Inglewood's track team.

PERSONAL: He received his bachelor's degree in sociology at USC in the summer of 2007. His brother, Keith, was an offensive tackle at Arizona.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	32	11/41	1	0	1	19	19.0	0	19
2005 (So.)…	46	13/76	7#	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	43	11/47	5##	1	1	3	3.0	0	3
2007 (Sr.)…	55	14/72	3	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	176	49/236	16###	4	2	22	11.5	0	10

#Includes 1 blocked PAT
##Includes 2 blocked field goals
###Includes 1 blocked PAT and 2 blocked field goals

GAME-BY-GAME WITH LAWRENCE JACKSON

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	3	0/0	1	0
Nebraska*	6	1.5/5	0	0
Wash. St.*	2	2/16	0	0
Washington*	6	1.5/7	0	0
Stanford*	4	0/0	0	0
Arizona*	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame*	3	0/0	0	0
Oregon*	11	1/1	0	0
Oregon St.*	3	1.5/11	1	0
California*	5	0/0	0	1
Arizona St.*	8	5.5/26	0	0
UCLA*	3	1/6	1	0
2007 (Sr.)…	55	14/72	3	1

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	0	0/0	1##	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	3	0.5/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	3	1/6	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	5	1/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	2	0/0	2##	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	1	1/3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	10	4/26	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	6	1.5/4	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	1	1/3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	6	1/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	1	0/0	0	1	1	3	3.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	43	11/47	5###	1	1	3	3.0	0	0

##Includes 1 blocked field goal
###Includes 2 blocked field goals

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii*	4	2/11	1	0
Arkansas*	4	0/0	0	0
Oregon*	4	0.5/4	0	0
Arizona St.*	7	2.5/14	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	2	0
Notre Dame*	4	1/4	0	0
Washington*	2	1/4	1	0
Wash. St.*	3	1/8	1#	1
Stanford*	3	1/9	2	1
California*	1	0/0	0	0
Fresno St.*	7	1/7	0	0
UCLA*	5	3/15	0	0
2005 (Sr.)…	46	13/76	7#	2

#Includes 1 blocked PAT

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Va. Tech*	2	0.5/2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Colo. State*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	2	2/11	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	2	1.5/6	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	4	1/3	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	2	1.5/7	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	5	1.5/2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	1	0/0	0	0	1	19	19.0	0	19
Notre Dame*	5	2/6	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	2	1/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Okla.* (OB)	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	32	11/41	1	0	1	19	19.0	0	19

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(8) RONALD JOHNSON
Wide Receiver, 6-1, 190, Fr./Fr., Muskegon, MI (Muskegon HS)

CAREER: He already ranks 13th on USC's career kickoff return chart (586 yards).

2007: Johnson, a speedy deep threat, served as an often-used backup wide receiver and was USC's top kickoff returner as a first-year freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he caught 5 passes for 95 yards (19.0 avg.) with 1 touchdown, ran 4 reverses for 27 yards (6.8 avg.), had a team-best 23 kickoff returns for 586 yards (25.5 avg.) and made 2 tackles. He even started the Washington game (at flanker).

He had a 4-yard reverse run against Idaho, then caught a 4-yard pass at Nebraska and had 2 receptions and a tackle against Washington State. He returned 3 kcikoffs for 65 yards at Washington, then had a 47-yard TD catch, an 8-yard run off a reverse and 3 kickoff returns for 61 yards against Stanford. He had 3 kickoff returns for 73 yards and a 6-yard run on a reverse against Arizon, then had a 37-yard kickoff return at Notre Dame and returned 4 kickoffs for 96 yards and had a tackle at Oregon. He returned a kickoff 41 yards against Oregon State, then returned 4 kickoffs for 102 yards (including a 35-yarder out to the 50 to set up a USC TD and a 41-yarder) at California. He had a 33-yard catch and 3 kickoff returns for 94 yards (including a 49-yarder to open the game) at Arizona State and returned a kickoff 17 yards against UCLA.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Scout.com All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Midwest, Scout.com All-Midwest and Detroit Free Press Fab 50** as a senior at Muskegon (Mich.) High. He had 3 interceptions as a cornerback and 1,600 all-purpose yards as a wide receiver on offense in 2006, including 700 receiving yards on 26 catches (26.9 avg.) with 7 TDs and 347 rushing yards on 30 carries (11.6 avg.) with 4 TDs, 180 yards on 7 kickoff returns (25.7 avg.) and 218 yards on 11 punt returns (19.8 avg.). Muskegon went 14-0 and won the 2006 state championship.

As a junior in 2005, he appeared in just 3 games before suffering torn knee ligaments.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2007 (Fr.)…	5	95	19.0	1	47	4	27	6.8	0	9

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	23	586	25.5	0	49	2	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH RONALD JOHNSON

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	4	4.0	0	4
Nebraska	1	4	4.0	0	4	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	2	11	5.5	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	9	9.0	0	0
Stanford	1	47	47.0	1	47	1	8	8.0	0	0
Arizona	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	6	6.0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	33	33.0	0	33	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	5	95	19.0	1	47	4	27	6.8	0	9

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Washington*	3	65	21.7	0	31
Stanford	3	61	20.3	0	26
Arizona	3	73	24.3	0	33
Notre Dame	1	37	37.0	0	37
Oregon	4	96	24.0	0	32
Oregon St.	1	41	41.0	0	41
California	4	102	25.5	0	41
Arizona St.	3	94	31.3	0	49
UCLA	1	17	17.0	0	17
2007 (Fr.)…	23	586	25.5	0	49

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(13) STAFON JOHNSON
Tailback, 6-0, 210, So./So., Bellflower, CA (Dorsey HS)

2007: Johnson showed great promise as an often-used backup tailback as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 10 games (all but Stanford and Arizona), he ran for 569 yards (second on USC) on 89 carries (6.4 avg.) with 5 touchdowns and caught 4 passes for 15 yards (3.8 avg.). He bruised his left foot against Washington and missed the Stanford and Arizona games. He had surgery on a dislocating left shoulder prior to 2007 spring practice and was sidelined for spring drills.

He had 64 yards on 12 carries with a pair of short TD runs and also had a 7-yard catch against Idaho. He ran for a career-best 144 yards on just 11 carries (with a 7-yard TD)—the most rushing yards by a Trojan since Reggie Bush had 260 versus UCLA in 2005—at Nebraska to earn **Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week** honors. He added 48 yards on 9 carries against Washington State. At Washington, he had a game-high 122 yards on 14 carries with an 8-yard TD and also caught a 5-yard pass. After a 2-game layoff because of injury, he returned for the Notre Dame game and had 47 yards on 8 attempts, then had 9 yards on 3 carries and a 9-yard reception at Oregon. He added 37 yards on 6 carries against Oregon State and 9 yards on 7 carries (including a 3-yard TD run for the game's decisive points) at California. He rushed for 16 yards on 4 carries at Arizona State, then added 73 yards on 15 tries against UCLA.

2006: Johnson was a reserve tailback as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. Overall in 2006 while appearing briefly in 3 games (Washington State, Stanford, Oregon), he ran for 17 yards on 3 carries (5.7 avg.), with all the yards coming at Stanford.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2005 Parade All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, USA Today All-USA second team, EA Sports All-American second team, U.S. Army All-American Game participant, Super Prep All-Farwest Offensive MVP, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-L.A. City Co-MVP and Los Angeles Times All-Star** honoree as a senior running back and defensive back at Dorsey High in Los Angeles (Calif.). He ran for 2,197 yards on 247 carries (8.9 avg.) with 22 TDs in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-L.A. City MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star and Los Angeles times All-Central City MVP**. He rushed for 1,879 yards (8.6 avg.) with 18 TDs and posted 25 tackles and 3 interceptions in 2004.

He was a **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass third team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore, All-L.A. City and Los Angeles Times All-Central City** selection as a sophomore in 2003 when he ran for 1,701 yards and 18 TDs.

In his 4-year career, he set the L.A. City rushing record with 5,777 yards and 58 TDs.

He also ran track (with a best of 10.7 in the 100 meters) at Dorsey, where his father, Stan Johnson, was a long-time assistant track coach.

PERSONAL: His cousin is current Trojan Travon Patterson.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	3	17	5.7	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	89	569	6.4	5	5	4	15	3.8	0	9
CAREER…….	92	586	6.4	5	8	4	15	3.8	0	9

GAME-BY-GAME WITH STAFON JOHNSON

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	12	64	5.3	2	16	1	7	7.0	0	7
Nebraska	11	144	13.1	1	32	1	-6	-6.0	0	-6
Wash. St.	9	48	5.3	0	19	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	14	122	8.7	1	45	1	5	5.0	0	5
Notre Dame	8	47	5.9	0	17	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	3	9	3.0	0	6	1	9	9.0	0	9
Oregon St.	6	37	6.2	0	18	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	7	9	1.3	1	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	4	16	4.0	0	9	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	15	73	4.9	0	18	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	89	569	6.4	5	5	4	15	3.8	0	9

2006

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Stanford	3	17	5.7	0	8
2006 (Fr.)…	3	17	5.7	0	8

(27) MARSHALL JONES
Safety, 6-0, 185, Fr./Fr., Agoura Hills, CA (Oaks Christian HS)

2007: Jones saw brief action in 4 games (Washington State, Washington, Notre Dame and Arizona State) as a backup safety as a first-year freshman in 2007. He had 1 deflection (against Washington State).

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools first team, All-CIF Northwest Division first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team** as a senior defensive back and running back at Oaks Christian High in Westlake Village (Calif.). He made 96 tackles, 2 sacks and 6 interceptions (returned 2 for TDs) on defense and had 696 yards on 87 carrries (8.0 avg.) with 10 TDs and caught 22 passes for 297 yards (13.5 avg.) with 4 TDs in 2006. Oaks Christian went 15-0 and won the 2006 CIF Northwest Division and California state Division III championships (winning 46 consecutive games).

As a junior in 2005, he made the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Small Schools first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division XI Co-Defensive MVP and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area second team**. He had 71 tackles, 5 interceptions and 1 fumble recovery, plus ran for 486 yards on 47 carries (10.3 avg.) with 10 TDs and had 23 receptions for 407 yards (17.7 avg.) with 3 TDs in 2005.

He was named to the **All-CIF Division XI first team and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area Small Schools first team** as a 2004 sophomore. He had 40 tackles and 10 interceptions in his 2003 freshman and 2004 sophomore seasons.

He also sprinted for Oaks Christian's track team, with a best of 10.6 in the 100 meters and he placed fifth at the 2007 CIF Division IV meet in the 110-meter high hurdles in 15.69. Current Trojan Marc Tyler also attended Oaks Christian.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	0	0/0	1	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MARSHALL JONES

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	0	0/0	1	0
2007 (Fr.)…	0	0/0	1	0

(23) VINCENT JOSEPH
Cornerback, 5-10, 180, So./So., Long Beach, CA (Poly HS)

2007: Joseph was a backup cornerback and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 9 games (all but Washington State, Oregon State and UCLA), he had 1 tackle and 1 fumble recovery, plus he returned 4 kickoffs for 75 yards (18.8 avg.). He bruised his larynx at Nebraska and sat out the Washington State game. His tackle was against Arizona and his fumble recovery was at Notre Dame (to set up a USC touchdown). He returned a pair of kickoffs against both Idaho (for 41 yards) and Nebraska (for 34 yards).

2006: Joseph was a backup cornerback and key special teams player as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. Overall in 2006 while appearing in 12 games (all but Arkansas), he had 2 tackles and returned 2 kickoffs for 32 yards (16.0 avg.). The kickoff returns and 1 of the tackles came against Notre Dame.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2005 honors included **ESPN 150, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division I first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team and All-Moore League first team** as a senior defensive back at Long Beach (Calif.) Poly High. He made 27 tackles and 7 blocked kicks in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he was named **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section second team and All-CIF Division I** while posting 32 tackles, 27 deflections and 7 blocked field goals. Current Trojans Hershel Dennis, Travon Patterson and Alfred Rowe also prepped at Poly.

He also ran track at Poly, where he was a member of the 2005 national prep record-setting 800-meter relay team (he had bests of 10.82 in the 100 meters and 21.80 in the 200).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0	2	32	16.0	0	27
2007 (So.)…	1	0/0	0	1	4	75	38.8	0	27
CAREER…	3	0/0	0	1	6	107	17.8	0	27

GAME-BY-GAME WITH VINCENT JOSEPH

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	0	0/0	0	0	2	41	20.5	0	27
Nebraska	0	0/0	0	0	2	34	17.0	0	18
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	0	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	1	0/0	0	1	4	75	38.8	0	27

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0	2	32	16.0	0	27
2006 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0	2	32	16.0	0	27

(68) BUTCH LEWIS
Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 280, Fr.*/So., Denver, CO (Regis Jesuit HS)

2007: Lewis was a key backup offensive tackle and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2007. He appeared in 9 games and even started 3 mid-season games (Notre Dame, Oregon State and California). He was named to the **2007 The Sporting News Freshman All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American honorable mention and The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team**. He sprained his ankle prior to the Washington game and was sidelined for 2 games (Washington and Stanford).

2006: Lewis redshirted as a freshman offensive tackle in 2006, his first year at USC. He was switched to offense in 2006 fall camp after coming to USC as a defensive tackle.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2005 Parade All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, USA Today All-USA second team, EA Sports All-American second team, Super Prep All-Midlands, Prep Star All-Midlands, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-State and All-Conference** selection as a senior defensive and offensive lineman at Regis Jesuit High in Aurora (Colo.). He had 65 tackles and 7 sacks in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he made **All-State second team** while getting 10 sacks. He was a 3-year varsity starter in football.

He also played basketball at Regis Jesuit, averaging 15 points a game.

PERSONAL: His real first name is Wendell.

(43) KALUKA MAIAVA
Linebacker, 6-0, 225, Jr./Jr., Wailuku, HI (Baldwin HS)

2007: Maiava was a key backup linebacker and special teams player as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 41 tackles, including 3.5 for losses of 12 yards (with a 5-yard sack), plus 2 deflections. He even started the Arizona State game on the weakside.

He had 7 tackles (1 for a loss) and a deflection at Nebraska, 2 tackles and a deflection against Washington State, 2 stops at Washington, 5 tackles versus Stanford, 2 tackles against Arizona and 5 tackles at Notre Dame. He then had 4 tackles at California, a team-best and career-high 10 stops (0.5 for a loss) at Arizona State and 2 of his 4 tackles against UCLA were for losses (with a sack).

2006: Maiava was the backup weakside linebacker and a key special teams player as a sophomore in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in 12 games (he missed the Arkansas opener with a shoulder sprain suffered in 2006 fall camp), he had 34 tackles, including 3.5 for losses of 13 yards. He had 8 tackles (0.5 for a loss) at Oregon State, 6 against both Stanford and Oregon (with 1 for a loss), 3 against Washington State and Arizona State and 2 against Nebraska, Notre Dame and UCLA. He had a tackle for a loss against Washington and California. He won **USC's Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award**.

2005: Maiava served as a backup outside linebacker and key special teams player as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games (he even started against Stanford), he had 20 tackles, 1 fumble recovery and 1 interception that he returned 10 yards. He had 4 tackles versus Stanford and UCLA, 3 against Arkansas (with the interception to set up a USC touchdown) and 2 against Oregon, Washington and Fresno State. He had a tackle and recovered a fumble to set up a USC TD against Texas. He won **USC's Co-Special Teams Player of the Year and Service Team Defensive Player of the Year Awards**.

HIGH SCHOOL: Among his 2004 honors were **Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Gatorade Hawaii Player of the Year, Honolulu Advertiser All-State first team, All-Maui Interscholastic League Defensive Player of the Year and All-League** as a senior linebacker at Baldwin High in Wailuku (Hi.). He had 147 tackles, 39 tackles for loss, 8 sacks, 8 forced fumbles and 5 blocked kicks in 2004, as well as a punt return for a TD.

As a junior in 2003, he was a **Honolulu Advertiser All-State** pick as he posted 157 tackles, 22 tackles for loss and 8 sacks.

He also participated in soccer and boxing at Baldwin.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His grandfather is ex-pro wrestler Neff Maiava and his uncle is pro wrestler/actor "The Rock" (Dwayne Johnson, who played football at Miami).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	20	0/0	0	1	1	10	10.0	0	10
2006 (So.)…	34	3.5/13	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	41	3.5/12	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	95	7/25	2	1	1	10	10.0	0	10

GAME-BY-GAME WITH KALUKA MAIAVA

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	7	1/1	1	0
Wash. St.	2	0/0	1	0
Washington	2	0/0	0	0
Stanford	5	0/0	0	0
Arizona	2	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	5	0/0	0	0
California	4	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	10	0.5/2	0	0
UCLA	4	2/9	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	41	3.5/12	2	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	3	0/0	0	0
Washington	1	1/6	0	0
Arizona St.	3	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	8	0.5/1	0	0
Stanford	6	0/0	0	0
Oregon	6	1/1	0	0
California	1	1/5	0	0
Notre Dame	2	0/0	0	0
UCLA	2	0/0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	34	3.5/13	0	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	3	0/0	0	0	1	10	10.0	0	10
Oregon	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Fresno St.	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas* (RB)	1	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	20	0/0	0	1	1	10	10.0	0	10

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(70) ALATINI MALU
Offensive Guard, 6-4, 330, Sr.*/Sr., Torrance, CA
(Torrance HS/Long Beach CC)

2007: Malu was a key backup offensive guard and played on special teams as a senior in 2007. He appeared in all 12 games and even started twice (Washington State and Notre Dame).

2006: Malu was a backup at right offensive guard as a junior in 2006. He even started the Washington game for an injured Chilo Rachal and did a commendable job. He appeared in all 13 games in 2006 on special teams and, besides his starting assignment, he also saw brief action at guard in 7 other contests (Arkansas, Arizona, Arizona State, Stanford, Oregon, Notre Dame, Michigan) besides his starting assignment.

2005: Malu was a backup offensive guard as a sophomore in 2005 (he was also available at tackle). He appeared briefly in 9 games (all but Oregon, Arizona State, Notre Dame and Texas) on the line and on special teams.

2004: Malu, who enrolled at USC in the spring of 2004 after transferring from a junior college, redshirted as a sophomore offensive guard in 2004. He was slowed early in the season after having an appendectomy in 2004 fall practice, then he broke a finger prior to the California game.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: He made the **2003 All-Mission Conference first team** as a freshman offensive lineman at Long Beach (Calif.) City College. He originally signed with Cal State Northridge and was set to play there following his return from a 2-year Mormon mission in Australia, but the Matador program disbanded while he was serving his mission, so he enrolled at Long Beach City.

HIGH SCHOOL: He prepped at Torrance (Calif.) High, where as a senior offensive lineman in 1998 he did not allow a sack and was a **Super Prep All-Farwest, All-CIF Division X, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay second team and All-Ocean League first team** honoree.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His nickname is "Tiny." He got married in the summer of 2007 and his wife's name is Alisia Fu'e.

(47) CLAY MATTHEWS
Linebacker, 6-4, 240, Jr.*/Sr., Agoura Hills, CA (Agoura HS)

2007: Matthews, the fourth person from his family to play football at USC, was a key backup linebacker and special teams player as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 14 tackles, including 2 for losses of 14 yards, plus 1 deflection and 2 blocked field goals. He even started the Nebraska and Washington State games on the strong side. He had 4 tackles, a deflection and a blocked field goal against Idaho, then added 3 tackles (1 for a loss) against Washington State, 4 stops against Arizona, a tackle and blocked field goal at Notre Dame, a tackle at Oregon and a tackle for a loss at California. He won **USC's Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award**.

2006: A one-time walk-on, Matthews earned a scholarship in the fall of 2006 and served as a reserve linebacker and key special teams player as a sophomore in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 15 tackles, including 1.5 for losses of 9 yards (with a 7-yard sack). He had 4 tackles at Stanford (with 0.5 tackle for a loss and a sack), 3 tackles against Oregon and 2 stops versus Michigan. He won **USC's Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award**.

2005: As a redshirt freshman reserve linebacker in 2005 (he also played on special teams), he had 8 tackles and a deflection while appearing in 12 games (all but Hawaii). He had 3 tackles versus Stanford and 2 against Washington State. He had a tackle and deflection versus Arkansas. He missed the Hawaii game with a sprained elbow.

2004: He did not see any action as a first-year freshman linebacker in 2004.

HIGH SCHOOL: He prepped at Agoura (Calif.) High.

PERSONAL: He's an international relations major at USC with a B-average (2.90 GPA). He made the **2006 Pac-10 All-Academic second team**. He comes from a football family. His father, Clay, was a 4-year (1974-77) letterman linebacker at USC who played on Troy's 1974 national championship team and earned All-American honors in 1977 (he went on to play with the NFL's Cleveland Browns and Atlanta Falcons from 1978 to 1996). His brother, Kyle, lettered at safety on USC's 2003 national championship team. His brother, Casey, is a freshman linebacker at Oregon. His uncle, Bruce, was a 3-year (1980-82) letterman offensive guard at USC who earned All-American honors in 1982 and then played with the NFL's Houston Oilers/Tennessee Titans from 1983 to 2001. His grandfather, Clay Sr., was on the football, wrestling and swimming teams at Georgia Tech in the 1940s and then played in the NFL with the San Francisco 49ers in the 1950s. His cousin, Ashley Nick, is a junior on the USC women's soccer team (the 2007 NCAA champions).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	1	0
2006 (So.)…	15	1.5/9	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	14	2/14	3#	0
CAREER……	37	3.5/23	4#	0

#Includes 2 blocked field goals

GAME-BY-GAME WITH CLAY MATTHEWS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	4	0/0	2#	0
Wash. St.*	3	1/11	0	0
Arizona	4	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	1#	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
California	1	1/3	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	14	2/14	3##	0

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#Includes 1 blocked field goal
#Includes 2 blocked field goals

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
Washington	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	4	1.5/9	0	0
Oregon	3	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Michigan (RB)	2	0/0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	15	1.5/9	0	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	0/0	1	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	2	0/0	0	0
Stanford	3	0/0	0	0
Fresno State	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	1	0

(58) REY MAUALUGA
Linebacker, 6-3, 250, Jr./Jr., Eureka, CA (Eureka HS)

CAREER: He has 190 tackles in his career.

2007: Maualuga returned for his second season as USC's meanacing starting middle linebacker as a junior in 2007 and led the team in tackles. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games (starting all but the Notre Dame game, in which he was limited because of a hip pointer), he had 75 tackles, including 7.5 for losses of 22 yards (with 3 sacks for minus 14 yards), plus 1 fumble recovery and 3 deflections. He was named to the **2007 Phil Steele's All-American third team, Collegefootballnews.com All-American honorable mention, Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention, All-Pac-10 first team** (for the second year in a row), **Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team, Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team**.

He had 4 tackles versus Idaho, 6 tackles (including 1.5 for losses) at Nebraska and 6 stops against Washington State. He then had a game-high 10 tackles (1 for a loss) at Washington, a game-high 10 tackles (with a sack) against Stanford, 4 tackles at Arizona, 3 tackles (including 2 sacks) at Notre Dame, 11 stops (1 for a loss) and a fumble recovery at Oregon, 5 tackles (including 1 for a loss) and a deflection against Oregon State, 5 tackles at California and 3 stops at Arizona Stae. He had a game-high 8 tackles and a deflection against UCLA.

2006: Maualuga started most of 2006 at middle linebacker as a sophomore and proved to be an impact player. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games (he started all but Arkansas, Oregon State and Notre Dame), he had a 78 tackles, including 5 for losses of 17 yards (with 2 sacks for minus 8 yards), an interception, 3 deflections and a forced fumble. He made the **2006 Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention, Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American first team, All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Scout.com All-Pac-10 first team and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team** and was **1 of 10 semifinalists for the 2006 Butkus Award**.

He had 6 tackles at Arkansas, then a game-high and personal-best 11 tackles (1 for a loss) versus Nebraska, 4 tackles, including 2 for a loss (with a sack), and an interception at Arizona and a team-best 9 tackles with a deflection at Washington State. He added 5 tackles and a deflection against Washington, a team-best 8 tackles against Arizona State, 7 stops at Oregon State, 5 tackles (0.5 for a loss) at Stanford and 6 stops and a forced fumble against Oregon. He made 4 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against California, 3 tackles and a deflection against Notre Dame, 7 tackles (with a sack) at UCLA and 2 stops versus Michigan.

2005: Maualuga was an effective and often-used backup middle linebacker and key special teams player as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 12 games (all but Hawaii), he had 37 tackles, including 4.5 for losses of 23 yards (with an 8-yard sack), plus he had 2 forced fumbles, 2 deflections and an interception that he returned 9 yards. He also returned 1 kickoff for 7 yards (7.0 avg). He had a team-best 9 tackles (1 for a loss), 2 forced fumbles (both recovered by USC to

set up touchdowns) and 2 deflections against UCLA, 6 tackles (with the sack) and the interception at California, another 6 stops against Washington State, 5 tackles versus Stanford, 3 stops (2 for losses) against Arkansas and another 3 versus Fresno State. He made a tackle and returned a short kickoff 7 yards against Texas. He made the **2005 Football Writers Freshman All-American first team and Scout.com Freshman All-American first team**. He won **USC's John McKay Award** (most competitive spirit).

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2004 Parade All-American, USA Today All-USA first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Scout.com All-American first team, EA Sports All-American second team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team and Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team** honors as a senior linebacker at Eureka (Calif.) High. He had 96 tackles, 37 tackles for loss, 4 interceptions (2 for TDs), 2 fumble recoveries and 1 kickoff return for a touchdown in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he was a **Student Sports Junior All-American and Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team** pick while posting 146 tackles, 43 tackles for loss, 11 sacks and 1 interception. Eureka went 20-2-1 during his junior and senior seasons.

He spent his 2001 freshman year at St. Bonaventure High in Ventura (Calif.).

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. He was born in Oklahoma.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	37	4.5/23	2	0	1	9	9.0	0	9
2006 (So.)…	78	5/17	3	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	75	7.5/22	3	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	190	17/62	8	1	2	9	9.0	0	9

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	1	7	7.0	0	7

GAME-BY-GAME WITH REY MAUALUGA

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho*	4	0/0	0	0
Nebraska*	6	1.5/3	0	0
Wash. St.*	6	0/0	0	0
Washington*	10	1/2	0	0
Stanford*	10	1/4	0	0
Arizona*	4	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	3	2/10	0	0
Oregon*	11	1/2	0	1
Oregon St.*	5	1/1	1	0
California*	5	0/0	1	0
Arizona St.*	3	0/0	0	0
UCLA*	8	0/0	1	0
2007 (Jr.)…	75	7.5/22	3	1

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	11	1/3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	5	2/13	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	9	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	5	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	8	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	7	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	5	0.5/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	4	0.5/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	7	1/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	78	5/17	3	0	1	0	0.0	0	0

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2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	3	2/10	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	6	1/8	0	0	1	9	9.0	0	9
Fresno St.	3	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	9	1/4	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas (RB)	1	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	36	4.5/23	2	0	1	9	9.0	0	9

(2) TAYLOR MAYS
Safety, 6-4, 225, So./So., Seattle, WA (O'Dea HS)

2007: After a decorated freshman season in 2006, the hard-hitting Mays returned for his second season as the starting free safety as a sophomore in 2007 and continued his stellar play. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he had 62 tackles (third on USC), 1 interception, 6 deflections, 1 fumble recovery and 1 forced fumble. He was named a **2007 The Sporting News All-American first team, SI.com All-American second team, AP All-American third team, Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American second team, All-Pac-10 honorable mention and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team pick**.

He had 5 tackles versus Idaho, 6 stops and a deflection at Nebraska, 3 tackles against Washington State and 2 tackles at Washington. He added 2 tackles, 2 deflections and an interception (to set up an USC TD) against Stanford. He had 4 tackles and forced a fumble against Arizona, then had 5 stops at Notre Dame, a career-best 12 tackles at Oregon, 6 tackles against Oregon State and 10 tackles and 3 deflections (both team highs) at California. He had 4 tackles at Arizona State and 3 stops and a fumble recovery against UCLA.

2006: Just a first-year freshman, Mays took over the free safety job in 2006 after Josh Pinkard suffered a season-ending injury in the opener and he ended up starting USC's final 12 games. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 62 tackles, a team-best 3 interceptions that he returned 40 yards (13.3 avg.) and 3 deflections. He made the **2006 The Sporting News All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com Defensive Freshman of the Year, The Sporting News, Rivals.com Freshman and Scout.com All-American first teams and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team** and was named **Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year, The Sporting News Pac-10 Defensive Freshman of the Year and Rivals.com Pac-10 Freshman of the Year**.

After getting 2 tackles at Arkansas, he had 5 tackles against Nebraska while starting for the first time at free safety. He then had 3 tackles at Arizona, 4 tackles, a deflection and an interception near the goal line on the game's last play at Washington State, 8 stops with a deflection against Washington and a tackle versus Arizona State. He made a game-best 11 tackles (with a deflection) at Oregon State, added 4 stops at Stanford, had 4 tackles and returned an interception 38 yards against Oregon and 6 tackles and an interception against California. He had 7 tackles against Notre Dame, 3 at UCLA and 4 versus Michigan.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2005 Parade All-American (he was the defensive back MVP), USA Today All-USA first team, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, U.S. Army All-American Game participant, Old Spice Red Zone Player of the Year, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Tacoma News Tribune Northwest Nugget, Gatorade Washington Player of the Year, All-State first team and All-Metro League Mountain Division Offensive MVP and Defensive Co-MVP** pick as a senior defensive back, wide receiver and quarterback at O'Dea High in Seattle, Wash. He had 166 tackles, 5 interceptions returned for 98 yards (19.6 avg.) and 5 deflections in 2005, plus caught 36 passes for 765 yards (21.3 avg.) with 15 TDs and rushed for 3 more scores.

As a junior in 2004, he made **Student Sports Junior All-American** while posting 89 tackles, 5 interceptions and 5 deflections, catching 25 passes for 614 yards (20.6 avg.) with 7 TDs and returning 12 punts for 392 yards (32.7 avg.) with 3 TDs.

He also ran track (best of 10.88 in the 100 meters) at O'Dea, where he was a 2-time (2004-05) state 3A champion in the 100 and 200 meters.

PERSONAL: His father, Stafford Mays, was a defensive lineman at Washington in 1978 and 1979 who then played in the NFL with the St. Louis Cardinals (1980-86) and Minnesota Vikings (1987-88 when current USC head coach Pete Carroll was an assistant coach there).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	62	0/0	3	0	3	40	13.3	0	38
2007 (So.)…	62	0/0	6	1	1	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	124	0/0	9	1	4	40	10.0	0	38

GAME-BY-GAME WITH TAYLOR MAYS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	6	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	2	0/0	2	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	12	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	10	0/0	3	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	3	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	62	0/0	6	1	1	0	0.0	0	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	4	0/0	1	0	1	2	2.0	0	2
Washington*	8	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	11	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	4	0/0	0	0	1	38	38.0	0	38
California*	6	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	7	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	62	0/0	3	0	3	40	13.3	0	38

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(86) ANTHONY McCOY
Tight End, 6-5, 255, So./So., Fresno, CA (Bullard HS)

2007: McCoy was a backup tight end and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he caught 2 passes for 18 yards (9.0 avg.) with a touchdown. He had a 2-yard TD reception at Nebraska and hauled in a 16-yard pass against Washington State. He sat out most of 2007 spring practice with an ankle sprain.

2006: McCoy saw brief action in 3 early games (Arkansas, Arizona, Arizona State) and then against Michigan in the Rose Bowl as a backup tight end as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC, but did not catch a pass. He strained his hamstring prior to the Oregon State game and was sidelined for the rest of the regular season.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made **2005 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team and Fresno Bee All-Area first team** as a senior wide receiver, tight end and defensive lineman at Bullard High in Fresno (Calif.). He had 70 receptions for 1,210 yards (17.3 avg.) and 15 TDs and made 65 tackles, 14 sacks, 13 tackles for loss and 15 deflections in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he was a **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team and All-League** honoree while catching 54 passes for 850 yards (15.7 avg.) with 7 TDs and getting 10 sacks. Current Trojan Nick Howell also prepped at Bullard.

He also was an All-League basketball player at Bullard.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2007 (So.)…	2	18	9.0	1	16

GAME-BY-GAME WITH ANTHONY McCOY

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska	1	2	2.0	1	2
Wash. St.	1	16	16.0	0	16
2007 (So.)…	2	18	9.0	1	16

(9) MOZIQUE McCURTIS
Safety-Cornerback, 6-1, 225, Jr.*/Sr., San Diego, CA (St. Augustine HS/Grossmont JC)

2007: McCurtis, who can play both safety and cornerback, saw limited action primarily as a nickel back as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 9 games (all but California, Arizoan State and UCLA), he had 5 tackles and 1 deflection. He had 3 tackles against Idaho and 1 versus Nebraska and Arizona. He had a deflection at Notre Dame.

2006: McCurtis, a backup at cornerback, was USC's often-used nickel back as a sophomore in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 4 tackles, including 1.5 for losses of 3 yards, plus an interception (against California) and 2 deflections. He had 2 tackles at Stanford and a tackle for a loss against Nebraska.

2005: McCurtis, a sophomore cornerback who transferred to USC in the fall of 2005 from a junior college, redshirted in 2005. He was sidelined all season with a strained abdominal muscle (sports hernia).

JUNIOR COLLEGE: McCurtis emerged as a starting safety by the middle of his 2004 freshman season at Grossmont Junior College in El Cajon (Calif.). He had 30 tackles, 10 deflections and 2 interceptions as Grossmont went 11-1.

He attended Grossmont in 2003, but did not play football.

HIGH SCHOOL: He missed his junior and senior seasons (2001 and 2002) at St. Augustine High in San Diego (Calif.) with torn knee ligaments. Current Trojan Jodan Congdon also prepped at St. Augustine.

PERSONAL: He's a history major at USC. His nickname is Zeke.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (So.)…	4	1.5/3	2	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	5	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	9	1.5/3	3	0	1	0	0.0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MOZIQUE McCURTIS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	3	0/0	0	0
Nebraska	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	0	0/0	1	0
2007 (Jr.)…	5	0/0	1	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska	1	1/2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	2	0.5/1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	0	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)	0	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	4	1.5/3	2	0	1	0	0.0	0	0

(16) MICHAEL McDONALD
Quarterback, 6-2, 185, Sr.*/Sr., Newport Beach, CA (Newport Harbor HS)

CAREER: His first 2 career passes were for touchdowns.

2007: McDonald served as a reserve quarterback as a senior in 2007 and continued for a second season in his role as the holder on all placekicks. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games at the holder and in 2 games (Idaho and Notre Dame) at quarterback, he completed 1-of-2 passes (50.0%) for no yards and an interception (all against Idaho). He played the final 2 series at Notre Dame, but did not throw a pass. He also had 1 rush for minus 11 yards and made a tackle (both against Idaho).

2006: McDonald was a reserve quarterback and the holder on all placekicks as a junior in 2006. He appeared in all 13 games of 2006 as the holder and even threw a 20-yard touchdown pass off a fake field goal attempt against Washington, but he didn't see any action as a quarterback.

2005: McDonald, a one-time walk-on, earned a scholarship in the fall of 2005 and was USC's No. 3 quarterback as a sophomore in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing briefly in 4 games (Arkansas, Washington State, Stanford and UCLA), he was 1-of-1 (1.000%) for 4 yards and 1 TD. He saw his first career action late in the Arkansas game and threw a 4-yard TD on his first career pass (his only toss of the contest). He played the last 3 snaps versus Washington State and took the final snap of the Stanford and UCLA games (kneel downs). He had actually quit the team following the 2004 season, but was talked into returning for 2005 spring practice by the coaches; he then quit the team again after 2005 spring drills, only to return again for the 2005 season when asked by the coaching staff.

2004: McDonald did not see any action as a walk-on redshirt freshman reserve quarterback in 2004.

2003: McDonald redshirted as a first-year freshman walk-on quarterback in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He prepped at Newport Harbor High in Newport Beach (Calif.), where he starred in football and volleyball.

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC. His father, Paul, was a 3-year (1977-79) letterman quarterback at USC who helped the Trojans to the 1978 national championship and earned All-American and Academic All-American honors in 1979 (he then played in the NFL with the Browns and Cowboys from 1980 to 1987 and now serves as the radio analyst on USC football broadcasts).

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
2005 (So.)…	1	1	0	1.000	4	1	4
2006 (Jr.)…	1	1	0	1.000	20	1	20
2007 (Sr.)…	2	1	1	.500	0	0	0
CAREER…	4	3	1	.750	24	2	20

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Sr.)…	1	-11	-11.0	0	-11	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MICHAEL McDONALD

2007

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Idaho	2	1	1	.500	0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	2	1	1	.500	0	0	0

2006

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Washington	1	1	0	1.000	20	1	20
2006 (Jr.)…	1	1	0	1.000	20	1	20

2005

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Arkansas	1	1	0	1.000	4	1	4
2005 (So.)…	1	1	0	1.000	4	1	4

(4) JOE McKNIGHT
Tailback, 6-0, 180, Fr./Fr., River Ridge, LA (John Curtis HS)

2007: McKnight, whose running style is reminiscent of former Trojan great Reggie Bush, served as an often-used backup tailback and was USC's top punt returner as a first-year freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he ran for 415 yards on 84 carries (4.9 avg.) with 2 touchdowns, caught 17 passes for 158 yards (9.3 avg.) with 1 TD and returned 16 punts for 124 yards (7.8 avg.). He was named to the **2007 Rivals.com Freshman All-American second team (as a punt returner) and The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team**, as well as being an **All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick.

He had 26 yards on 6 carries and caught an 8-yard pass against Idaho, then had a 5-yard run at Nebraska. He added 48 rushing yards on 7 carries and also had an 11-yard punt return against Washington State., Bradford caught a 4-yard scoring pass and had 3 tackles, Dennis saw his first action since the UCLA game late in the 2004 season and ran for 14 yards on 4 carries, Gable had a 6-yard run and a 15-yard kickoff return and Reed had 2 kickoff returns for 59 yards (with a 44-yarder) and 2 punt returns for 15 yards. He had 2 carries for 3 yards and a 4-yard punt return against Stanford. He had 128 all-purpose yards (75 on 13 carries, 49 on 2 punt returns and 4 on 2 receptions) against Arizona (his 45-yard punt return and 59-yard run helped set up a Trojan TD and field goal in the fourth quarter) and won **USC's Jack Oakie "Rise and Shine" Award** (for the year's longest run from scrimmage). He had a game-best 65 yards on 7 carries (with a 51-yard TD burst) and also returned 5 punts for 31 yards at Notre Dame. He had 34 yards on 10 carries and another 30 yards on 4 receptions at Oregon. He had 94 all-purpose yards (34 on 14 carries, 38 on 3 receptions and 22 on 4 kickoff returns) at Oregon State. He had 9 yards on 4 carries and caught a 7-yard pass at California. He had 108 all-purpose yards (71 yards on 5 receptions with a 7-yard TD catch, 30 yards on 7 carries and a 7-yard punt return) at Arizona State. He had a game-high 89 yards on 13 carries (with a 5-yard TD) and also returned 2 punts for no yards against UCLA.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Parade All-American Co-MVP, USA Today All-USA first team, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Lemming All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Southwest, Prep Star All-Southeast, Scout.com All-Southwest and All-State MVP** as a senior at John Curtis High in River Ridge (La.). He had 1,928 all-purpose yards (22.2 avg.) and 30 TDs in 2006, including 711 rushing yards on 46 carries (15.5 avg.) with 14 TDs, 739 receiving yards on 24 catches (30.8 avg.) with 13 TDs, 268 yards on 12 punt returns (22.3 avg.) and a 34.6 average on 5 kickoff returns, plus added 10 tackles, 8 deflections and 1 interception on defense. John Curtis went 14-0 and won its third consecutive state 2A championship in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he made **EA Sports All-American third team, All-State, All-East Jefferson Parish and All-District, and was MVP of the state championship game**, as he scored 22 touchdowns (9 rushing, 5 receiving, 4 punt returns, 3 interceptions, 1 kickoff return) and averaged 18.0 per play playing part of the year with Evangel Christian Academy in Shreveport (La.) because of Hurricane Katrina (current Trojan John David Booty also prepped at Evangel Christian) and then back with John Curtis. He rushed for 502 yards on 36 carries (13.9 avg.), had 497 receiving yards on 20 catches (24.9 avg.), and averaged 38.7 on kickoff returns and 30.0 on punt returns in 2005.

He made **Student Sports Sophomore All-American** as a 2004 sophomore.

He also sprinted for John Curtis' track team, with a best of 10.4 in the 100 meters (he won the state 100 in 2006 and was second in 2007).

PERSONAL: His sister, Johanna, is a junior on the basketball (guard) and track (sprints/jumps) teams at Richmond.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2007 (Fr.)…	84	415	4.9	2	59	17	158	9.2	1	32

	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2007 (Fr.)…	16	124	7.8	0	45

GAME-BY-GAME WITH JOE McKNIGHT

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	6	26	4.3	0	21	1	8	8.0	0	8
Nebraska	1	5	5.0	0	5	1	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	7	48	6.9	0	16	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	2	0	0.0	0	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	13	75	5.8	0	59	2	4	2.0	0	4
Notre Dame	7	65	9.3	1	51	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	10	34	3.4	0	11	4	30	7.5	0	19
Oregon St.	14	34	2.4	0	13	3	38	12.7	0	23
California	4	9	2.3	0	9	1	7	7.0	0	7
Arizona St.	7	30	4.3	0	12	5	71	14.2	1	32
UCLA	13	89	6.8	1	24	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	84	415	4.9	2	59	17	158	9.2	1	32

	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Wash. St.	1	11	11.0	0	11
Stanford	1	4	4.0	0	4
Arizona	2	49	24.5	0	45
Notre Dame	5	31	6.2	0	20
Oregon St.	4	22	5.5	0	10
Arizona St.	1	7	7.0	0	7
UCLA	2	0	0.0	0	2
2007 (Fr.)…	16	124	7.8	0	45

(88) JIMMY MILLER
Tight End, 6-5, 250, Jr.*/Sr., Thousand Oaks, CA (Westlake HS)

2007: Miller played briefly in the Idaho opener as a backup tight end and on special teams as a junior in 2007. But he hurt his back in practice prior to the Nebraska game and was sidelined the rest of 2007. He did not catch a pass in 2007.

2006: Miller, who was a backup tight end as a sophomore in 2006, appeared briefly in 11 contests in 2006 (all but Arkansas and Oregon State), primarily on special teams. His only appearances as a tight end came briefly against Oregon and Michigan, but he did not catch a pass. He missed the Arkansas opener after spraining his shoulder in 2006 fall camp.

2005: Miller was a backup at tight end and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 3 catches for 8 yards (2.7 avg.) with 2 TDs and made 1 tackle. He caught a 4-yard TD pass against Arkansas and had 2 receptions for 4 yards (with a 1-yard TD) versus Stanford.

2004: Miller redshirted as a freshman tight end in 2004, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2003 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division IV Defensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-Ventura/North Coast Lineman of the Year and Daily News All-Valley first team** as a senior tight end and defensive end at Westlake High in Westlake Village (Calif.). He had 40 receptions for 750 yards (18.8 avg.) with 9 TDs on offense and 85 tackles with 17 sacks on defense.

As a 2002 junior, he was a **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Division IV, Daily News All-Area first team, All-Ventura County and All-League** selection. He caught 12 passes for 200 yards (16.7 avg.) with 1 TD on offense in 2002 and posted 80 tackles, 33 tackles for loss, 18.5 sacks and 14 deflections on defense.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His brother, Jeff, is a redshirt freshman defensive end at UCLA. He grew up in Texas before moving to California in the late 1990s.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (Fr.)…	3	8	2.7	2	4	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH JIMMY MILLER

2005

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	1	4	4.0	1	4
Stanford	2	4	2.0	1	3
2005 (Fr.)…	3	8	2.7	2	4

(75) FILI MOALA
Defensive Tackle, 6-5, 295, Jr.*/Sr., Buena Park, CA (Western HS)

2007: Moala started for his second season at defensive tackle as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he had 31 tackles, including 5.5 for losss of 21 yards (including 2.5 sacks for minus 16 yards). He was named to the **2007 Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention**. He sprained his left ankle during 2007 spring practice and sat out the last half of spring drills.

He had 2 tackles versus Idaho, 5 stops (with 1 for a loss) at Nebraska, 3 tackles (1 for a loss) at Washington, 2 tackles against Stanford and 1 stop versus Arizona. He added 5 tackles (including 1 sack) at Notre Dame, 6 tackles at Oregon, 1 tackle against Oregon State and 2 stop at California. He had 2 tackles (1 for a loss) at Arizona State and 1.5 sacks among his 2 tackles against UCLA.

2006: Moala started USC's last 7 games at defensive tackle as a sophomore in 2006. He also started 3 early-season contests (Nebraska, Arizona, Washington State) at nose tackle for an injured Sedrick Ellis. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 20 tackles, including 7 for losses of 16 yards (with 2.5 sacks for minus 8 yards), plus a fumble recovery and 4 deflections. He made **2006 Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American honorable mention and All-Pac-10 honorable mention**. He had 5 tackles against Notre Dame (including 2 for losses, with a sack), plus a fumble recovery and a deflection. He added 4 tackles against Nebraska, 3 against

California and 2 at Oregon State (with a sack). Both of his tackles against Michigan were for losses (including 0.5 sack).

2005: Moala saw key playing time at defensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2005, even starting 2 games (Arizona State and Arizona). Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 8 tackles, including 1 for a loss of 1 yard. He had 3 tackles against Washington State and 2 versus Arizona.

2004: Moala redshirted as a freshman defensive tackle in 2004, his first year at USC. He sprained his right hand and his shoulder in 2004 fall practice and missed USC's first 4 games. He was **USC's 2004 Service Team Defensive Player of the Year**.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: He originally signed with USC in 2003, but did not qualify for admission, so he attended Cypress (Calif.) Junior College in 2003 as a part-time student (he didn't play football there).

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2002 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West and Tacoma News Tribune Western 100** selection as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at Western High in Anaheim (Calif.). He missed all but 2 games of his 2002 senior season because of an injured left foot ligament.

As a junior in 2002, he made **All-CIF Division IX first team and All-League** while posting 60 tackles and 4 sacks.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His cousin is former Oregon defensive tackle Haloti Ngata (2002-05), now with the NFL's Baltimore Ravens.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (Fr.)…	8	1/1	0	0
2006 (So.)…	20	7/16	4	1
2007 (Jr.)…	31	5.5/21	0	0
CAREER…….	59	13.5/38	4	1

GAME-BY-GAME WITH FILI MOALA

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho*	2	0/0	0	0
Nebraska*	5	1/1	0	0
Washington*	3	1/2	0	0
Stanford*	2	0/0	0	0
Arizona*	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame*	5	1/2	0	0
Oregon*	6	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.*	1	0/0	0	0
California*	2	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	2	1/2	0	0
UCLA*	2	1.5/14	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	31	5.5/21	0	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	1/2	0	0
Nebraska*	4	0.5/0	0	0
Wash. St.*	1	0/0	1	0
Washington	0	0/0	1	0
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.*	2	1/4	0	0
Stanford*	1	0.5/2	0	0
California*	3	0/0	1	0
Notre Dame*	5	2/4	1	1
Michigan (RB)*	2	2/4	0	0
2006 (So.)…	20	7/16	4	1

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	1/1	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	3	0/0	0	0
UCLA	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	8	1/1	0	0

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(84) KYLE MOORE
Defensive End, 6-6, 275, Jr./Jr., Kathleen, GA (Houston County HS)

2007: Moore did a solid job while starting at defensive end as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games and starting 10 (all but Idaho and Arizona State), he had 35 tackles, including 3.5 for losses of 29 yards (with 2 sacks for 20 yards), plus 2 interceptions that he returned 38 yards (19.0 avg.), 5 deflections, 1 forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery. He had 3 takeaways in USC's first 3 games of 2007.

He had 4 tackles against Idaho (including a sack in which he forced a fumble that he recovered) and a deflection. He had 2 tackles and returned an interception 24 yards to set up a USC TD at Nebraska. Against Washington State, he had 2 tackles, an interception (which led to a USC field goal) and a deflection. He had 4 tackles (1 for a loss) at Washington, 6 tackles versus Stanford, and a tackle and 2 deflections against Arizona. He added 6 tackles (0.5 sack) and a deflection at Notre Dame, 1 tackle at Oregon, 4 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against Oregon State, 1 tackle at California, 2 stops at Arizona State and 2 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against UCLA.

2006: Moore was an often-used backup defensive end as sophomore in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 5 tackles and a deflection. He had 2 stops at Stanford.

2005: Moore served as a backup defensive end as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 11 games (he sprained his right knee in the Hawaii opener and missed the Arkansas and Oregon games), he made 6 tackles and recovered a team-high 2 fumbles. He had 3 tackles against UCLA. His fumble recoveries came at Hawaii (to set up a USC TD) and California.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2004 Parade All-American, USA Today All-USA first team, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Super Prep All-Dixie, Prep Star All-Southeast, Atlanta Journal-Constitution Super Southern 100 and Georgia Class 5A Defensive Player of the Year** as a senior defensive lineman at Houston County High in Warner Robins (Ga.). He had 93 tackles, 22 sacks, 18 deflections, 8 forced fumbles, 2 fumble recoveries and 1 blocked punt (for a touchdown) in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he made **All-Middle Georgia, All-Region and All-County** while getting 110 tackles, 23 tackles for loss and 15 sacks.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. He was born in Germany and lived in Europe and Texas before moving to Georgia.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	5	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	35	3.5/29	5	1	2	38	19.0	0	24
CAREER…	46	3.5/29	6	3	2	38	19.0	0	24

GAME-BY-GAME WITH KYLE MOORE

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	4	1/12	1	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	2	0/0	0	0	1	24	24.0	0	24
Wash. St.*	2	0/0	1	0	1	14	14.0	0	14
Washington*	4	1/9	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	1	0/0	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	6	0.5/4	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	4	0.5/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	2	0.5/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	35	3.5/29	5	1	2	38	19.0	0	24

*Starter

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	2	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	1	0
Michigan (RB)	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	5	0/0	1	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii	0	0/0	0	1
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
California	0	0/0	0	1
Fresno St.	1	0/0	0	0
UCLA	3	0/0	0	0
2005 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	2

(46) MICHAEL MORGAN
Linebacker, 6-3, 220, Fr.*/So., Dallas, TX (Skyline HS)

2007: Morgan was a backup linebacker and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 11 games (all but UCLA), he had 8 tackles. He had 2 tackles against Idaho, Nebraska and Arizona, then 1 at Notre Dame and California. He sprained his left ankle at Arizona State and missed the UCLA game. He missed 2007 spring practice while resting a back sprain suffered in 2006.

2006: Morgan redshirted as a freshman linebacker in 2006, his first year at USC, while sidelined with a back sprain.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named to the **2005 Parade All-American, Prep Star Dream Team, ESPN 150, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American third team, Super Prep All-Southwest, Prep Star All-Midlands and All-State honorable mention** squads as a senior linebacker at Skyline High in Dallas (Tex.). He had 203 tackles and 10 sacks in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he recorded 98 tackles, 18 sacks and 7 forced fumbles.

He also sprinted for Skyline's track team.

PERSONAL: His brother, Steve, was a defensive tackle at UCLA from 1999 to 2002.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MICHAEL MORGAN

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	2	0/0	0	0
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Arizona	2	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	8	0/0	0	0

(97) ALEX MORROW
Defensive End, 6-6, 270, Sr.*/Sr., Rohnert Park, CA (Rancho Cotate HS)

2007: Morrow was a backup at defensive end and played on special teams as a senior in 2007. Overall while appearing in all 12 games, he had 4 tackles, including 2 sacks for minus 9 yards. He had 1 tackle at Nebraska, then 3 stops at Notre Dame (including 2 sacks).

2006: Morrow was a backup defensive end and played on special teams as a junior in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 2 tackles and a deflection.

2005: Morrow was a backup defensive end as a sophomore in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 10 games (all but Notre Dame, Fresno State and Texas), he made 5 tackles, including an 8-yard sack, and a deflection. The sack and deflection came at Washington.

2004: Morrow was a reserve defensive end as a redshirt freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in 6 games (BYU, Washington, Washington State, Arizona, Notre Dame and Oklahoma), he had 2 tackles (1 each versus Washington and Arizona).

2003: Morrow redshirted as a freshman defensive end in 2003, his first year at USC. After the season, he has arthroscopic surgery on his left knee to remove debris.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2002 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West second team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-Northern California Co-Defensive MVP, San Francisco Chronicle All-Metro first team and All-League Defensive MVP** notice as a senior defensive lineman at Rancho Cotate High in Rohnert Park (Calif.). He had 70 tackles, with 12 sacks, and 6 blocked kicks in 2002. Rancho Cotate went 13-0 in 2002 and won the CIF North Coast Section 3A Redwood Empire championship for the second consecutive year.

As a junior in 2001, he made 55 tackles, including 15 for losses (with 6 sacks).

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	5	1/8	1	0
2006 (Jr.)…	2	0/0	1	0
2007 (Sr.)…	4	2/9	0	0
CAREER…….	13	3/17	2	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH ALEX MORROW

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Nebraska	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	3	2/9	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	4	2/9	0	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
California	0	0/0	1	0
2006 (Jr.)…	2	0/0	1	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii	1	0/0	0	0
Arkansas	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
Washington	1	1/8	1	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	5	1/8	1	0

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Washington	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	2	0/0	0	0

(16) MITCH MUSTAIN
Quarterback, 6-3, 205, So./So., Springdale, AR (Springdale HS/Arkansas)

CAREER: Dating back to his junior high school days, he has a 61-2 (.968) record as a starting quarterback (9-1 in eighth grade in 2001, 9-0 in both ninth grade in 2002 and 10th grade in 2003, 12-1 in 11th grade in 2004, 14-0 in 12th grade in 2005 and 8-0 as a freshman at Arkansas in 2006).

2007: Mustain, who started 8 games at quarterback for Arkansas as a first-year freshman in 2006, transferred to USC in the summer of 2007 but sat out his 2007 sophomore season because of NCAA transfer rules. He won **USC's Service Team Offensive Player of the Year Award**.

ARKANSAS: As just a first-year freshman in 2006 at Arkansas, Mustain started—and won—8 consecutive games (Utah State, Vanderbilt, Alabama, Auburn, Southeast Missouri State, Mississippi, Louisiana-Monroe and South Carolina). Overall in 2006 while appearing in 12 games (all but LSU and Florida), he completed 69-of-132 passes (52.3%) for 894 yards and 10 touchdowns with 9 interceptions.

After completing 4 of his 6 attempts for 47 yards with an intercepton while appearing late in the USC opener (he also ran for a 4-yard touchdown), he started the following 8 games (the most ever by an Arkansas true freshman quarterback) and led the Razorbacks to victories in each (a school first-year freshman record). Against Utah State in his first start (the earliest start by a true freshman in Arkansas history), he was 9-of-17 for 119 yards and a TD. He then was 13-of-20 for 224 yards and 3 scores (with an interception) at Vanderbilt to earn **Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week and SEC Freshman of the Week** honors. He followed that by going 7-of-22 for 97 yards with a TD and 3 picks against No. 22 Alabama in a double overtime victory, 7-of-10 for 87 yards with a TD at No. 2 Auburn, 5-of-13 for 51 yards and a TD (to current Trojan teammate Damian Williams) against Southeast Missouri State, 12-of-15 for 157 yards and a TD against Mississippi, 7-of-18 for 71 yards and 2 touchdowns (with 2 interceptions) against Louisiana-Monroe and threw an interception on his first and only attempt at South Carolina while playing just the first series. He appeared briefly off the bench against Tennessee and versus Florida in the SEC Championship Game, but did not attempt a pass. He was 5-of-10 for 41 yards and an interception off the bench against Wisconsin in the Capital One Bowl.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named the **2005 Gatorade, USA Today and Parade Magazine National Player of the Year, as well as an EA Sports All-American, Rivals.com All-American, Scout.com All-American first team, Arkansas Associated Press Super Team, Arkansas Democrat-Gazette All-Arkansas Co-Offensive Player of the Year and Northwest Arkansas Morning News Player of the Year** as a senior at Springdale (Ark.) High. He completed 190-of-270 passes (70.4%) for 3,817 yards (an Arkansas Class 5A season record) with 47 touchdowns and just 6 interceptions in 2005, as well as rushing for 141 yards on 30 attempts (4.7 avg.) with 7 TDs. He led Sprigdale to a 14-0 record, the state championship and a No. 2 national ranking in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he was 139-of-222 (64.7%) for 2,169 yards with 20 TDs and only 5 interceptions, plus ran for 350 yards and 14 scores, as Springdale went 12-1 and made it to the Class 5A semifinals. Current Trojan Damian Williams also prepped at Springdale High.

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)#…	132	69	9	.523	894	10	70	13	-20	-1.5	1	-7

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MITCH MUSTAIN

2006

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
USC	6	4	1	.667	47	0	42
Utah State*	17	9	0	.529	119	1	46
Vanderbilt*	20	13	1	.650	224	3	56
Alabama*	22	7	3	.318	97	1	40
Auburn*	10	7	0	.700	87	1	50
SE Missouri*	13	5	0	.385	51	1	18
Mississippi*	15	12	0	.800	157	1	70
La. Monroe*	18	7	2	.389	71	2	19
So. Carolina*	1	0	1	.000	0	0	0
Wisc. (Cap)	10	5	1	.500	41	0	16
2006 (Fr.)#…	132	69	9	.523	894	10	70

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(61) KRISTOFER O'DOWD
Center, 6-5, 300, Fr./Fr., Tucson, AZ (Salpointe Catholic HS)

2007: O'Dowd proved to be a precocious first-year freshman center in 2007. He started 3 (Idaho, Nebraska, Washington) of USC's first 4 games (including the first 2) and appeared in 6 contests overall (Idaho, Nebraska, Washington State, Washington, Arizona State and UCLA). In the Idaho opener, he became the first USC true freshman to start at center as well as only the third Trojan true freshman to start a post-World War II opener on the offensive line (joining Brad Budde in 1976 against Missouri and Travis Claridge in 1996 against Penn State) and the first USC true freshman to start on the offensive line since Byers did so in 2004 against UCLA. He then earned **Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week** honors for his performance at Nebraska. He disclocated his right kneecap at Washington and was sidelined the next 4 games. He was named to the **2007 Scout.com Freshman All-American first team, Rivals.com Freshman All-American second team, Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American second team, The Sporting News Freshman All-American honorable mention and The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team**.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, USA Today All-USA second team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100 and All-State** as a senior offensive lineman at Salpointe Catholic High in Tucson (Ariz.). He recorded 90 pancake blocks in 2006.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-State first team**.

PERSONAL: His grandfather, Jack, lettered in football at Arizona for 3 years (1930-32).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(56) ALEX PARSONS
Offensive Tackle, 6-4, 285, So./So., Irvine, CA (Woodbridge HS)

2007: As a sophomore in 2007, Parsons was switched from defensive tackle to offensive tackle in 2007 fall camp. He saw action in all 12 games on special teams (primarily on kickoff return) and limited action as a backup on the offensive line (against Idaho, Notre Dame and UCLA). He made a tackle against Idaho (following an interception). He had arthroscopic surgery on torn cartilage in his right knee prior to 2007 spring practice.

2006: Parsons was a reserve freshman defensive tackle in 2006, his first year at USC. He appeared in all 13 games in 2006, primarily on special teams. He saw limited action at defensive tackle in 2 games (Arkansas, Oregon), but he did not make a tackle. He won **USC's Service Team Defensive Player of the Year Award**.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made **2005 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, CaliFlorida Bowl Defensive MVP, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division VI first team, Orange County Register All-Orange County first team and All-Seaview League first team** as a senior defensive lineman, linebacker, tight end and offensive lineman at Woodbridge High in Irvine (Calif.). He had 104 tackles, 18 tackles for loss and 4 sacks in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he made **All-Seaview League** while posting 102 tackle, 7 sacks, 4 forced fumbles and 2 interceptions. He played 3 years on the varsity.

PERSONAL: His brother, B. Jay Parsons, was a defensive end at Kentucky (2004-05).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (So.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(17) TRAVON PATTERSON
Wide Receiver, 5-10, 175, So./So., Long Beach, CA (Poly HS)

2007: The speedy Patterson appeared in USC's first 3 games as a backup at wide receiver as a sophomore in 2007, but suffered a foot injury prior to the Washington game that required surgery and was sidelined the rest of the year. Because of the early injury, he was allowed to redshirt the 2007 season. Overall in 2007, he caught 1 pass for no yards (against Idaho).

2006: Patterson was a backup wide receiver as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. Overall while appearing in 12 games (all but UCLA), he had 3 receptions for 63 yards (21.0 avg.) and had a 1-yard run. He had 2 catches for 44 yards at Stanford and a 19-yard grab at Arkansas.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2005 honors included **Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Division I first team, Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team and All-Moore League first team** as a senior wide receiver at Long Beach (Calif.) Poly High. He had 1,097 all-purpose yards in 2005, caught 25 passes for 700 yards (28.0 avg.) with 15 TDs and averaged 38.0 yards on kickoff returns and 27.0 yards on punt returns.

As a junior in 2004, he had 26 receptions for 612 yards (23.5 avg.) with 3 TDs. Current Trojans Hershel Dennis, Vincent Joseph and Alfred Rowe also prepped at Poly.

He also ran track at Poly, with bests of 10.44 in the 100 meters (winning the 2006 CIF Division I race; he also was third at the 2006 CIF Masters meet and fourth at the 2006 state meet) and 21.41 in the 200 (he was third in the 2006 CIF Division I meet and seventh in both the CIF Masters and state meets).

PERSONAL: His nickname is "Peanut." His cousin is current Trojan Stafon Johnson.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	3	63	21.0	0	22	1	1	1.0	0	1
2007 (So.)…	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…….	4	63	15.8	0	22	1	1	1.0	0	1

GAME-BY-GAME WITH TRAVON PATTERSON

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	1	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	1	0	0.0	0	0

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	1	19	19.0	0	19	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	1.0	0	1
Stanford	2	44	22.0	0	22	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	3	63	21.0	0	22	1	1	1.0	0	1

(36) JOSH PINKARD
Safety-Cornerback, 6-1, 215, Jr.*/Sr., Oxnard, CA (Hueneme HS)

2007: After missing most of the 2006 season with an injury, Pinkard was expcted to re-claim his starting free safety job as a junior in 2007, or move into a job at cornerback, where he also has starting experience. But he tore ligaments in his left knee in 2007 fall camp, had surgery and was sidelined all season. He missed most of 2007 spring practice while recuperating from a 2006 knee injury.

2006: Pinkard started the 2006 opener at Arkanas at free safety as a junior, but he tore ligaments in his right knee late in that game, had surgery and was sidelined the rest of the year. He was allowed to redshirt because of the early-season injury. He had 6 tackles at Arkansas. He missed some of 2006 spring practice because of a sports hernia (he had surgery on it in April).

2005: Pinkard began his 2005 sophomore season as an often-used backup safety, available at both the free and strong safety spots. He played often in extra defensive back situations and even started the Arkansas game at strong safety. But he was moved to cornerback by mid-season and started there in USC's last 6 games (Washington State, Stanford, California, Fresno State, UCLA and Texas). Overall in 2005 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 54 tackles (third on team), including 1.5 for losses of 8 yards (with 0.5 sack for minus 4 yards), plus a team-best 7 deflections, 2 interceptions, 2 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery. He had a team-high 10 tackles (1 for a loss) against Washington State in his first start at cornerback. He had 7 tackles and 4 deflections against Fresno State, another 7 tackles with a deflection against Texas, 6 stops and an interception (to set up a USC TD) versus Arkansas (while starting at safety), 5 tackles at Hawaii (with a forced fumble) and Arizona State, and 4 stops at Notre Dame (with a forced fumble) and Washington (in his first extended action at cornerback). His other interception came at Oregon (to set up a USC touchdown). He returned a fumbled interception 21 yards to set up a USC TD versus Stanford. He recovered a fumble against UCLA (to set up a USC touchdown).

2004: Pinkard was a reserve safety and played on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in all 13 games, he made 9 tackles (including 2 against both Arizona State and Oklahoma), recovered a fumble (against Oklahoma, setting up a USC TD) and fielded a short kickoff (against California, returning it for 0 yards).

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2003 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division IV and Los Angeles Times All-Ventura/North Coast** pick as a senior defensive back and wide receiver at Hueneme High in Oxnard (Calif.). He had 123 tackles, 2 sacks and 4 interceptions on defense and 22 receptions for 200-plus yards with 5 TDs on offense.

As a junior in 2002, he had 90 tackles and 6 interceptions.

He also was on the basketball and track teams at Hueneme.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	9	0/0	0	1	1	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	54	1.5/8	7	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	69	1.5/8	7	2	1	0	0.0	0	0

	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2005 (So.)…	2	0	0.0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH JOSH PINKARD

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas*	6	0/0	0	0
2006 (Sr.)…	6	0/0	0	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Hawaii	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arkansas*	6	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	2	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	5	0.5/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	10	1/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Fresno St.*	7	0/0	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	2	0/0	2	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas* (RB)	7	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	54	1.5/8	7	0	2	0	0.0	0	0

*Starter

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Colorado St.	1	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Oklahoma (OB)	2	0/0	0	1
2004 (Fr.)…	9	0/0	0	1

(66) CHILO RACHAL
Offensive Guard, 6-5, 315, Jr.*/Sr., Compton, CA (Dominguez HS)

2007: Rachal started 9 games (all but Stanford, Arizona and Notre Dame) for his second season at right offensive guard as a junior in 2007 and proved to be an up-and-coming star. He missed those 3 mid-season contests after spraining his right knee at Washington. He was named to the **2007 Phil Steele's All-American first team, All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team**.

2006: Rachal started 12 games at right offensive guard as a sophomore in 2006. He earned **2006 Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American second team, All-Pac-10 second team, and Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He missed the Washington game after spraining his ankle at Washington State.

2005: Rachal appeared in all 13 games as a backup offensive guard and on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2005.

2004: Rachal redshirted as a freshman offensive guard and tackle in 2004, his first year at USC. He had arthroscopic surgery to remove torn cartilage from his left knee prior to the Colorado State game, sidelining him for 3 contests (Colorado State, BYU and Stanford).

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2003 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West honorable mention, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division III, Los Angeles Times All-Southeast/South Coast Lineman of the Year, Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team and All-Conference** selection as a senior offensive lineman at Dominguez High in Compton (Calif.). He only played in 4 games in 2003.

As a junior in 2002, he was named to the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass** squad.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

(60) DREW RADOVICH
Offensive Guard, 6-5, 305, Sr.*/Sr., Mission Viejo, CA (Mission Viejo HS)

2007: Radovich started for his second season on the offensive line, at right offensive tackle as a senior in 2007 after being moved there from left guard in the spring of 2007. He appeared in all 12 games in 2007, starting the final 11 contests. He was a **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick. He was an **East-West Shrine Game invitee**.

2006: Radovich started all of 2006 at left offensive guard as a junior and did a solid job. He missed some of 2006 spring drills while recuperating from 2005 hip surgery.

2005: Radovich appeared briefly in USC's first 3 games as a reserve offensive guard and on special teams as a sophomore in 2005. But he then suffered a hip strain that required surgery, which sidelined him for the rest of the season and allowed him to redshirt. He was switched from offensive tackle to guard in 2005 spring practice.

2004: Radovich was a backup at offensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2004 (he also was available at offensive guard). He also played on special teams. He saw action in 10 games (all but Virginia Tech, Stanford and UCLA) in 2004. He suffered a sprained hip against Notre Dame, sidelining him for the UCLA contest.

2003: Radovich redshirted as a freshman offensive tackle and guard in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2002 honors included **Parade All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Student Sports All-American, Riddell Footwear All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, The Sporting News Hot 100, FOX Sports 50, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Lineman MVP, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division II first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team, Los Angeles Times All-Orange County first team and Orange County Register All-Orange County first team** as an offensive and defensive lineman at Mission Viejo (Calif.) High.

As a junior in 2001, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Division II first team and Orange County Register All-Orange County second team**. Mission Viejo went 14-0 and won the CIF Division II championship in both 2001 and 2002. Current Trojan Mark Sanchez also prepped at Mission Viejo. His head coach at Mission Viejo was Bob Johnson, father of ex-USC and NFL quarterback Rob Johnson.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. His father, Mark, was a linebacker at Arizona State in 1974-75-76.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Jr.)…	2	0/0	0	0

(67) MICHAEL REARDON
Offensive Tackle, 6-5, 265, Fr./Fr., Anaheim, CA (Orange Lutheran HS)

2007: Reardon redshirted as a freshman offensive tackle in 2007, his first year at USC. He was switched from defensive end in 2007 fall drills.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Pac-5 Division Defensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Orange County Register All-Orange County first team and All-Trinity League Co-Lineman MVP** as a senior defensive end at Orange (Calif.) Lutheran High. He had 77 tackles, 14 tackles for loss, 12.5 sacks and 1 blocked field goal in 2006. Orange Lutheran went 14-1 and won the 2006 CIF Pac-5 Division and the California state Division II championships.

As a junior in 2005, he made the **All-Empire League first team** while making 80 tackles and 8 sacks.

He also played basketball at Orange Lutheran. Current Trojan Aaron Corp also attended Orange Lutheran.

(22) DESMOND REED
Tailback, 5-9, 185, Sr.*/Sr., Temple City, CA (Temple City HS)

CAREER: He has 1,160 all-purpose yards in his career. He is 18th on USC's career kickoff return list (482 yards).

2007: Reed, an inspirational story after returning from a serious 2005 knee injury (although he still is bothered by subsequent nerve damage in his foot and must use a unique brace in order to run), was a backup tailback as a senior in 2007, but his bigger role was as a punt and kickoff returner. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he has 41 yards on 8 carries (5.1 avg.), 73 yards on 8 receptions (9.1 avg.), 81 yards on 19 punt returns (4.3 avg.) and 96 yards on 5 kickoff returns (19.2 avg.), plus he was 0-of-1 passing.

Reed had 36 yards on 5 attempts and returned 4 punts for 30 yards against Idaho, then 1 punt return for minus 2 yards at Nebraska. He had 2 kickoff returns for 59 yards (with a 44-yarder) and 2 punt returns for 15 yards versus Washington State, then 4 receptions for 46 yards, a 12-yard kickoff return and a 2-yard punt return at Washington. He caught 3 passes for 13 yards, had 4 punt returns for 20 yards and a 7-yard kickoff return against Stanford, added an 18-yard kickoff return, a 4-yard punt return and 2 carries for 0 yards against Arizona and caught a 14-yard pass and had 2 punt returns for 3 yards at Notre Dame. He had a 5-yard punt return versus Oregon State, 1 punt return for no yards at California, threw

an incomplete pass on a reverse at Arizona State and had a 5-yard run and returned 2 punts for 4 yards against UCLA.

2006: Reed served as a backup tailback and was a punt and kickoff returner as a junior in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in 12 games (he missed the Oregon contest to attend a relative's funeral), he returned 20 punts for 109 yards (5.4 avg.) and 2 kickoffs for 42 yards (21.0 avg.), plus he gained 12 yards on 7 carries (1.7 avg.), caught 5 passes for 51 yards (10.2 avg.) and made a tackle. He won **USC's Chris Carlisle Courage Award**. He missed 2006 spring drills while recuperating from 2005 knee surgery.

In the opener at Arkansas, he had 7 yards on 4 ties and also had a 6-yard reception. He caught 2 passes for 13 yards, returned a punt 4 yards and had a tackle versus Nebraska. He returned 3 punts for 19 yards and lost 5 yards while sacked on an attempted reverse pass at Arizona. He had a punt return for no yards at Washington State and a 2-yard punt return versus Washington. He had 2 receptions for 32 yards, a 23-yard kickoff return and a 7-yard punt return against Arizona State. He had a 19-yard kickoff return, a punt return for no yards and a rush for a 1-yard loss at Oregon State. He returned 4 punts for 18 yards at Stanford. He had a 1-yard punt return against California. He had an 11-yard run and returned a pair of punts 44 yards (with a 43-yarder) against Notre Dame. He had a punt return for no yards at UCLA. He returned 4 punts for 14 yards versus Michigan.

2005: Reed served as a backup tailback as a sophomore in 2005, played on special teams and also returned kickoffs for his second season. But he tore ligaments in his right knee at Notre Dame and had surgery, sidelining him for the rest of the 2005 season. Overall in 2005 while appearing in USC's first 6 games, he ran for 137 yards on 19 carries (7.2 avg.) with 1 TD, returned 5 kickoffs for 194 yards (38.8 avg.) and made 5 tackles, 1 forced fumble and 1 fumble recovery. He averaged 13.8 yards on his 24 touches in 2005 (he had 331 all-purpose yards).

He ran for 26 yards on 5 tries, including a 29-yard scoring cutback run, at Hawaii and also starred on special teams as he returned a fumbled Warrior kickoff 15 yards for a score, made a tackle on another kickoff and returned a kickoff 33 yards. He then rushed for 50 yards on 3 carries (including a 43-yarder) and returned 2 kickoffs for 101 yards (51 and 50 yards) against Arkansas. He ran for 32 yards on 4 carries, returned a kickoff 29 yards and had a tackle at Oregon, then had a 2-yard run, made a tackle and forced a fumble at Arizona State. He ran for 27 yards on 6 carries against Arizona (he also made a tackle) and returned a kickoff for 31 yards and had a tackle at Notre Dame.

2004: Reed, who spent 2003 working in the secondary and at wide receiver, was switched to tailback prior to 2004 spring practice and was a reserve there as a redshirt freshman in 2004. He also played on special teams. Overall in 2004 while appearing in all 13 games, he ran for 173 yards on 31 carries (5.6 avg.) with a TD, returned 7 kickoffs for 150 yards (21.4 avg.), had a 16-yard punt return, caught 3 passes for 0 yards, completed a 55-yard pass and made 5 tackles (including 1 for a 12-yard loss). He made the **2004 All-Pac-10 second team** (as a special teams player). He was **USC's 2004 Special Teams Player of the Year**.

He had 56 yards on 8 carries (the first of his career) against Colorado State. At BYU, he had 21 yards on 7 carries. He returned a kickoff 15 yards against California, plus he tackled the punter after a bad snap and forced a fumble. He had a 21-yard kickoff return, a carry for no yards and a tackle against Arizona State. He ran for a 28-yard TD (the first of his career) against Washington (he also caught a 2-yard pass and had a tackle), then ran for 27 yards on 9 tries and also had a 16-yard punt return and a 7-yard kickoff return at Washington State. He had a 32-yard kickoff return at Oregon State. Against Arizona, he rushed for 37 yards on 2 carries, caught a 1-yard pass, completed a 55-yard pass off a reverse and made a tackle. He returned 2 kickoffs for 26 yards, plus had a 2-yard run and a tackle, versus Notre Dame, then returned a kickoff 49 yards at UCLA. He ran for 2 yards on 2 carries against Oklahoma.

2003: Reed redshirted as a freshman in 2003, his first year at USC. He began the season playing safety and cornerback, but was moved to wide receiver in midseason.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2002 Super Prep All-American, Student Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best of the Rest, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Defensive Back MVP, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium School first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division X Defensive MVP, Los Angeles Times All-Star first team, Los Angeles Times All-San Gabriel Valley MVP, Pasadena Star News Player of the Year** choice as a senior at Temple City (Calif.) High. He had 80 tackles and 9 interceptions as a defensive back in 2002, while on offense as a running back and wide receiver he ran for 1,200 yards and caught 46 passes for 800 yards (17.4 avg.). He scored 29 touchdowns in 2002, including a California state record 8 while returning kicks (4 on kickoffs, 4 on punts). He set 6 school records in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Division X first team (as a wide receiver) and Pasadena Star News Player of the Year**. He had 62 tackles, 9 interceptions (3 for TDs) and 3 forced fumbles in 2001, and returned 3 punts and a kickoff for touchdowns.

As a sophomore in 2000, he was named to the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore first team, All-CIF Division X (as a wide receiver) and All-Area (as a cornerback)**. He had 9 interceptions in 2000. In his career, he had 31 interceptions. He was a 4-year starter.

He also played basketball and baseball at Temple City. His head coach in football at Temple City was ex-USC fullback Mike Mooney (1990-92).

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	31	173	5.6	1	28	3	0	0.0	0	2
2005 (So.)…	19	137	7.2	1	43	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	7	12	1.7	0	11	5	51	10.2	0	20
2007 (Sr.)…	8	41	5.1	0	12	8	73	9.1	0	19
CAREER…….	65	363	5.6	2	43	16	124	7.8	0	20

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	7	150	21.4	0	49	1	16	16.0	0	16
2005 (So.)…	5	194	38.8	0	51	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	2	42	21.0	0	23	20	109	5.4	0	43
2007 (Sr.)…	5	96	19.2	0	44	19	81	4.3	0	14
CAREER…….	19	482	25.4	0	51	40	206	5.2	0	43

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	1	1	0	1.000	55	0	55	5	1/12	0	0
2005 (So.)…	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	5	0/0	0	1#
2006 (Jr.)…	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	1	1	0	1.000	55	0	55	11	1/12	0	1#

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2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	5	36	7.2	0	12	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	46	11.5	0	19
Stanford	0	0	0.0	0	0	3	13	4.3	0	8
Arizona	2	0	0.0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	14	14.0	0	14
UCLA	1	5	5.0	0	5	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	8	41	5.1	0	12	8	73	9.1	0	19

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	30	7.5	0	14
Nebraska	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2
Wash. St.	2	59	29.5	0	44	2	15	7.5	0	14
Washington	1	12	12.0	0	12	1	2	2.0	0	2
Stanford	1	7	7.0	0	7	4	20	5.0	0	11
Arizona	1	18	18.0	0	18	1	4	4.0	0	4
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	3	1.5	0	3
Oregon St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	5	5.0	0	5
California	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	4	2.0	0	2
2007 (Sr.)…	5	96	19.2	0	44	19	81	4.3	0	14

2006

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	4	7	1.8	0	5	1	6	6.0	0	6
Nebraska	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	13	6.5	0	7
Arizona	1	-5	-5.0	0	-5	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	32	16.0	0	20
Oregon St.	1	-1	-1.0	0	-1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	11	11.0	0	11	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	7	12	1.7	0	11	5	51	10.2	0	20

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	4	4.0	0	4
Arizona	0	0	0.0	0	0	3	19	6.3	0	8
Wash. St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	2	2.0	0	2
Arizona St.	1	23	23.0	0	23	1	7	7.0	0	7
Oregon St.	1	19	19.0	0	19	1	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	18	4.5	0	11
California	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	1	1.0	0	1
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0	0	2	44	22.0	0	43
UCLA	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Michigan (RB)	0	0	0.0	0	0	4	14	3.5	0	10
2006 (Jr.)…	2	42	21.0	0	23	20	109	5.4	0	43

2005

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Hawaii	5	26	5.2	1	29	1	33	33.0	0	33
Arkansas	3	50	16.6	0	43	2	101	50.5	0	51
Oregon	4	32	8.0	0	17	1	29	29.0	0	29
Arizona St.	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	6	27	4.5	0	9	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	31	31.0	0	31
2005 (So.)…	19	137	7.2	1	43	5	194	38.8	0	51

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii	1	0/0	0	1#
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	5	0/0	0	1#

#Returned for a touchdown

2004

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Colo. State	8	56	7.0	0	24	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU	7	21	3.0	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	1	28	28.0	1	28	1	2	2.0	0	2
Wash. St.	9	27	3.0	0	14	1	-3	-3.0	0	-3
Arizona	2	37	18.5	0	27	1	1	1.0	0	1
Notre Dame	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oklahoma (OB)	2	2	1.0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	31	173	5.6	1	28	3	0	0.0	0	2

	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
California	1	15	15.0	0	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	21	21.0	0	21	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	7	7.0	0	7	1	16	16.0	0	16
Oregon St.	1	32	32.0	0	32	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	2	26	13.0	0	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	1	49	49.0	0	49	0	0	0.0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	7	150	21.4	0	49	1	16	16.0	0	16

(55) KEITH RIVERS
Linebacker, 6-3, 235, Sr./Sr., Lake Mary, FL (Lake Mary HS)

CAREER: He has 235 career tackles, including 18 for losses.

2007: Rivers started for his third season at weakside linebacker as a senior in 2007 and turned in an All-American season. Overall in 2007 while starting 11 games (he missed the Arizona State game with a sprained left ankle suffered at California), he had 73 tackles (second on USC), including 4.5 for losses of 15 yards, plus 4 deflections, a team-high 3 fumble recoveries and 1 forced fumble. He was **1 of 10 semifinalists for the 2007 Butkus Award and 1 of 17 quarterfinalists for the Lott Trophy**, as well as an **SI.com All-American first team, Pro Football Weekly All-American first team, Walter Camp All-American second team, Phil Steele's All-American third team and Collegefootballnews.com All-American honorable mention** pick. Rivers was named to the **2007 All-Pac-10 first team** (for the second year in a row), **ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team**. He was a **USC team captain**. He won **USC's Co-Lifter of the Year Award**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**. He was named to the **2007 Playboy Pre-Season All-American team**. He had arthroscopic surgery on his left ankle to remove bone spurs following 2007spring practice.

He had a team-best 6 tackles with a deflection versus Idaho, a game-high 10 tackles with a deflection at Nebraska and a game-best 14 tackles against Washington State (the most by a Trojan since Lofa Tatupu had 14 versus Oregon State in 2003) with 2.5 for a loss. He then had 4 tackles and a deflection at Washington, 6 stops and a deflection against Stanford, 6 tackles (1 for a loss)and a fumble recovery at Arizona and a tackle and fumble recovery at Notre Dame. He had 12 tackles at Oregon, a team-best 7 tackles against Oregon State, 4 stops at California and 3 tackles, including 1 for a loss in which he forced and recovered a fumble (to set up a USC TD) against UCLA.

2006: Rivers started for his second season at weakside linebacker as a junior in 2006 and proved to be a dominant force. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had a team-high 85 tackles, including 7.5 for losses of 22 yards (with 2 sacks for minus 9 yards), plus a team-best 3 forced fumbles, a fumble recovery and 2 deflections. He made the **2006 Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention, All-Pac-10 first team, ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 second team**. He won **USC's Bob Chandler Award**.

He had a team-best 8 tackles, with a fumble recovery and forced fumble, at Arkansas to earn **Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Week** honors. He added 5 stops (with 1 for a loss) versus Nebraska, 3 tackles (with a sack) at Arizona and 5 tackles at Washington State. He had a game-best 12 tackles (1 for a loss), plus 2 deflections, against Washington and a team-best 8 tackles (1 for a loss) against Arizona State. He had 5 tackles (with a sack) at Oregon State, 5 more tackles and forced a fumble that USC recovered at Stanford and a game-best 10 tackles against Oregon. He made 6 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against California, 4 stops (1 for a loss) and forced a fumble that USC recovered versus Notre Dame and 5 tackles (1 for a loss) at UCLA. He had a game-best 9 tackles against Michigan.

2005: Rivers started at weakside linebacker job as a sophomore in 2005 and proved effective. Overall in 2005 while starting 11 games (he missed the Stanford game with a hamstring strain suffered prior to the Washington game and then the UCLA game after re-straining his hamstring against Fresno State), he had 52 tackles, including 3 for losses of 17 yards (with an 11-yard sack), plus had a team-best 2 fumble recoveries and returned an interception 14 yards. He saw limited action at Washington because of the hamstring strain, then re-strained it early in the Fresno State contest and was sidelined. He made **2005 All-Pac-10 honorable mention**.

He had 3 tackles at Hawaii, 7 against Arkansas, 8 (with 2 for losses) at Oregon and 6 at Arizona State. He added a stop against Arizona, then a game-best 12 tackles (with a sack), plus an interception (to set up a USC TD) and fumble recovery, at Notre Dame. He made 1 tackle at Washington before sitting out with the sore hamstring and another tackle versus Washington State in restricted play before sitting out the Stanford contest. He returned to get 6 tackles with a fumble recovery at California, then had 2 tackles in limited action versus Fresno State. He made 5 tackles against Texas.

2004: Rivers saw significant playing time as a backup weakside linebacker behind Matt Grootegoed, as a defensive end in pass rushing situations and on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 25 tackles, including 3 for losses of 23 yards (with 2.5 sacks for 22 yards), plus had a deflection and returned an interception 22 yards. He made the **2004 The Sporting News Freshman All-Pac-10 first team**. He had 5 tackles against Colorado State, 4 versus Washington (with the interception) and Oklahoma and 3 against Stanford and Arizona.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2003 honors included **USA Today All-USA first team, Parade All-American, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American, Insiders.com All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Lemming Top 100, Super Prep All-Dixie, Prep Star All-Southeast, FOX Sports Net All-South, Gatorade Florida Player of the Year and Florida Class 6A Mr. Football runnerup** as a senior linebacker at Lake Mary (Fla.) High. He had 111 tackles, 14 tackles for loss, 2 sacks and 2 interceptions in 2003.

As a junior in 2002, he was a **Student Sports Junior All-American and Florida Class 5A second team** honoree as he posted 160 tackles, 11 tackles for loss, 4 sacks and 2 interceptions.

He made **All-State** as a sophomore in 2001 when he had 100-plus tackles.

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC. He was born in Riverside (Calif.) and lived in nearby San Bernardino for 8 years during his youth.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	25	3/23	1	0	1	22	22.0	0	22
2005 (So.)…	52	3/17	0	2	1	14	14.0	0	14
2006 (Jr.)…	85	7.5/22	2	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	73	4.5/15	4	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
CAREER…	235	18/77	7	6	1	36	18.0	0	22

GAME-BY-GAME WITH KEITH RIVERS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho*	6	0/0	1	0
Nebraska*	10	0/0	1	0
Wash. St.*	14	2.5/7	0	0
Washington*	4	0/0	1	0
Stanford*	6	0/0	1	0
Arizona*	6	1/4	0	1
Notre Dame*	1	0/0	0	1
Oregon*	12	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.*	7	0/0	0	0
California*	4	0/0	0	0
UCLA*	3	1/4	0	1
2007 (Sr.)…	73	4.5/15	4	3

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas*	8	0/0	0	1
Nebraska*	5	1/4	0	0
Arizona*	3	1/4	0	0
Wash. St.*	5	0/0	0	0
Washington*	12	1/2	2	0
Arizona St.*	8	1/1	0	0
Oregon St.*	5	1/5	0	0
Stanford*	5	0/0	0	0
Oregon*	10	0/0	0	0
California*	6	0.5/1	0	0
Notre Dame*	4	1/4	0	0
UCLA*	5	1/1	0	0
Michigan (RB)*	9	0/0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	76	7.5/22	2	1

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Hawaii*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arkansas*	7	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	8	2/6	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	12	1/11	0	1	1	14	14.0	0	14
Washington*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	6	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Fresno St.*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Texas* (RB)	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	52	3/17	0	2	1	14	14.0	0	14

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Colo. State	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford	3	2/19	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	4	0/0	0	0	1	22	22.0	0	22
Wash. St.	2	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Okla. (OB)	4	0.5/3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	23	3/23	1	0	1	22	22.0	0	22

(39) ALFRED ROWE
Fullback-Safety, 6-0, 205, Fr.*/So., Los Angeles, CA (Poly HS)

2007: Rowe was a backup fullback and safety who played primarily on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 9 games (all but Washington State, California and Arizona State), he made 6 tackles. He had 1 tackle against Stanford, 2 at Oregon and 3 against Oregon State. He suffered a concussion at Nebraska and missed the Washington State game, then sprained his left ankle against Oregon State and was sidelined for the California and Arizona State games.

2006: Rowe redshirted as a freshman safety in 2006, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He made **2005 Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, All-CIF Division I, Long Beach Press-Telegram Dream Team first team and All-Moore League Co-Defensive MVP** as a senior defensive back and linebacker at Long Beach (Calif.) Poly High. He had 131 tackles, 4 sacks, 5 fumble recoveries and 1 interception in 2005.

As a junior in 2004, he recorded 72 tackles, 2 sacks, 3 fumble recoveries (1 for a TD) and 2 interceptions. Current Trojans Hershel Dennis, Vincent Joseph and Travon Patterson also prepped at Poly.

PERSONAL: His brother, Kenny, is a freshman defensive end at Oregon.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH ALFRED ROWE

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	2	0/0	0	0
Oregon St.	3	0/0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0

(6) MARK SANCHEZ
Quarterback, 6-3, 225, So.*/Jr., Mission Viejo, CA (Mission Viejo HS)

2007: The strong-armed, high-potential Sanchez served as the backup quarterback as a sophomore in 2007, but he ended up starting 3 games (Arizona, Notre Dame and Oregon) for an injured John David Booty and performed well. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 7 games, he completed 69-of-114 passes (60.5%) for 695 yards and 7 touchdowns with 5 interceptions. He also gained 22 yards on 14 carries (1.6 avg.). He sat out the Idaho opener while recuperating from a broken right thumb suffered in 2007 fall practice.

Against Arizona, Sanchez made his first-ever start and completed 19-of-31 passes for 130 yards with a 25-yard TD (the first of his career) and 2 interceptions. He started again at Notre Dame and completed 21-of-38 passes for 235 yards and 4 touchdowns (all career highs) with no interceptions, and won **USC's Player of the Game versus Notre Dame Award**. He completed 26-of-41 passes for 277 yards with 2 TDs (9 and 14 yards) and 2 interceptions while starting at Oregon. In his other appearances of 2007, he played USC's final 2 series at Nebraska but did not attempt a pass, was 2-of-3 for 23 yards with an interception while playing the final series against Washington State, completed his only pass attempt (a 30-yarder) while playing the final series against Oregon State and played the final series against UCLA but did not attempt a pass.

2006: Sanchez, who had an impressive showing in 2006 spring practice while John David Booty was sidelined with an injury, was USC's No. 2 quarterback as a redshirt freshman in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing late in 6 games, he completed 3-of-7 passes (42.9%) for 63 yards with an interception. He also had 4 carries for minus 5 yards (-1.2 avg.) with a TD. He hit 1-of-2 passes for 19 yards at Arkansas, then he played the entire fourth quarter at Stanford and was 2-of-4 for 44 yards and also ran for a 4-yard TD. His only pass attempt against Oregon was intercepted. He also saw action against Arizona, Notre Dame and Michigan, but did not throw a pass.

2005: Sanchez redshirted as a freshman quarterback in 2005, his first year at USC. He won **USC's Service Team Offensive Player of the Year Award**.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named **2004 Parade All-American Player of the Year, Super Prep All-American Player of the Year, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Scout.com All-American first team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Gatorade California Player of the Year, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, All-CIF Southern Section, All-CIF Division II Co-Offensive Player of the Year, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-Orange County Back of the Year, Orange County Register All-Orange County and All-South Coast League Co-Offensive MVP** as a senior quarterback at Mission Viejo (Calif.) High. He completed 151-of-245 (61.6%) passes for 2,441 yards with 24 TDs and 4 interceptions in 2004 despite sitting out 8 halves because Mission Viejo was winning handily. Mission Viejo was the CIF Division II champion in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he made the **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass second team, All-CIF Division II, Orange County Register All-Orange County first team and All-South Coast League first team**. He completed 161-of-211 passes (76.3%) for 2,460 yards with 29 TDs and 7 interceptions, plus he ran for 90 yards and caught a touchdown pass in 2003. In one game in 2003, he was 12-of-12 for 326 yards and 4 scores. Mission Viejo was 27-1 in his career.

He also played basketball and baseball at Mission Viejo. Current Trojan Drew Radovich also prepped at Mission Viejo. His coach at Mission Viejo was Bob Johnson, the father of former USC and NFL quarterback Rob Johnson.

He spent his freshman and sophomore years at Santa Margarita High in Rancho Santa Margarita (Calif.), where his first varsity pass as a 2002 sophomore went 55 yards for the game-winning touchdown.

PERSONAL: He has a B average (3.24 GPA) at USC. His brothers—Nick (Yale in 1992-93-94) and Brandon (DePauw in 1997)—played football in college.

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)…	7	3	1	.429	63	0	22	4	-5	-1.2	1	4
2007 (So.)…	114	69	5	.605	695	7	48	14	22	1.6	0	11
CAREER…	121	72	6	.595	758	7	48	18	17	0.9	1	11

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MARK SANCHEZ

2007

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Wash. St.	3	2	1	.667	23	0	16
Arizona*	31	19	2	.613	130	1	25
Notre Dame*	38	21	0	.553	235	4	48
Oregon*	41	26	2	.634	277	2	28
Oregon St.	1	1	0	1.000	30	0	30
2007 (So.)…	114	69	5	.605	695	7	48

*Starter

2006

	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
Arkansas	2	1	0	.500	19	0	19
Stanford	4	2	0	.500	44	0	22
Oregon	1	0	1	.000	0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	7	3	1	.429	63	0	22

(90) DEREK SIMMONS
Defensive Tackle, 6-4, 275, Fr.*/So., Suisun, CA (Armijo HS)

2007: Simmons saw brief action in 5 games (Idaho, Nebraska, Washington State, Notre Dame and Arizona State) as a reserve defensive tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2007. He made a tackle against Idaho.

2006: Simmons redshirted as a freshman defensive tackle-end in 2006, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2005 Super Prep Elite 50, Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100 and Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team** pick as a senior defensive lineman and tight end at Armijo High in Fairfield (Calif.). He made 72 tackles and

10 sacks in 2005, plus had 10 receptions for 174 yards (17.4 avg.) with 2 TDs.

As a junior in 2004, he was named **All-League Lineman of the Year** while making 72 tackles, 12 sacks, 2 forced fumbles, 2 fumble recoveries and 2 interceptions.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH DEREK SIMMONS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(6) MALCOLM SMITH
Linebacker, 6-2, 215, Fr./Fr., Northridge, CA (Taft HS)

2007: Smith was a backup linebacker and key special teams player as a first-year freshman in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he had 6 tackles and 1 forced fumble. He also returned a fumbled kickoff return 31 yards (at Nebraska). He had 1 tackle against Idaho, 2 versus Washington State and 1 each at Notre Dame, Oregon (with a forced fumble) and Arizona State.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Prep Star 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team, All-L.A. City first team and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area second team** as a senior linebacker and running back at Taft High in Woodland Hills (Calif.). He had 31 tackles, 10 sacks and 4 fumble recoveries on defense and ran for 919 yards on 118 carries (7.8 avg.) with 15 TDs on offense in 2006 despite missing the first half of the season with a leg injury.

As a junior in 2005, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-L.A. City first team and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team** while making 41 tackles, 2 sacks and 1 fumble recovery, plus running for 639 yards on 73 carries (8.8 avg.) with 10 TDs and catching 27 passes for 411 yards (15.2 avg.) with 7 TDs as Taft was the L.A. City runnerup.

He was named to the **Student Sports Sophomore All-American and Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore first team** as a 2004 sophomore when he had 800-plus yards of total offense and 8 TDs, plus 2 interceptions, as Taft won the L.A. City title.

PERSONAL: His brother, Steve Smith, was a 2006 All-American wide receiver at USC who lettered 4 years with the Trojans (2003-06) and finished his career as Troy's No. 5 career pass catcher (190 receptions with 22 TDs).

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	KOR	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2007 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0	0	31	0.0	0	31

GAME-BY-GAME WITH MALCOLM SMITH

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	1	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	2	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Fr.)…	6	0/0	0	0

(69) MATT SPANOS
Center, 6-5, 305, Sr.*/Sr., Corona, CA (Corona HS)

2007: Spanos, who has played every position on the offensive line in his career, started the last 8 games of his 2007 senior season at center after sitting out the 2006 season. Overall in 2007, he appeared in USC's final 9 contests after missing the first 3 games while recuperating from a torn right tricep that he suffered in 2007 fall camp. He recovered a fumble against Arizona. He was a **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick. He won **USC's Courage Award and Co-Offensive Lineman of the Year Award**. He sprained his right ankle during 2007 spring practice and sat out the last half of spring drills.

2006: Spanos sat out his 2006 junior season while academically ineligible. He was switched to offensive guard from center prior to 2006 spring practice and performed well enough to compete for the starting job on the left side (he also can play tackle).

2005: Spanos, who was moved to center from offensive tackle in 2005 spring practice, saw brief action in all 13 games as a backup and on special teams as a sophomore in 2005.

2004: Spanos was a reserve offensive tackle and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2004. He appeared in 9 games in 2004. He sprained his left arch prior to the Colorado State game and missed the next 4 contests (Colorado State, BYU, Stanford and California).

2003: Spanos redshirted as a freshman offensive guard in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2002 honors included **Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State honorable mention, All-CIF Southern Section second team, All-CIF Division V first team, Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire first team, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-Riverside County first team and All-Mountain View League first team (on offense and defense)** as a senior offensive and defensive lineman at Corona (Calif.) High. He had 77 tackles (52 solo), with 13 sacks, and 6 forced fumbles on defense in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-Riverside County second team and All-League**. He had 60-plus tackles, including 18 for losses (with 3 sacks), in 2001.

He was a 3-year starter.

PERSONAL: He's a social science history major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Sr.)…	0	0/0	0	1

(99) AVERELL SPICER
Defensive Tackle, 6-2, 290, So.*/Jr., Rancho Cucamonga, CA (Rancho Cucamonga HS)

2007: Spicer was a backup at nose tackle and defensive tackle as a sophomore in 2007. Overall while appearing in 11 games (all but UCLA), he had 8 tackles and 1 sack for minus 9 yards. He had 1 tackle (a sack) against Idaho, Washington and Stanford, then 3 stops at Notre Dame, and 1 tackle at Oregon and California.

2006: Spicer was a reserve nose tackle as a redshirt freshman in 2006. Overall while appearing briefly in 7 games (Arkansas, Nebraska, Washington State, Arizona State, Oregon State, Stanford, Oregon) in 2006, he made 3 tackles, including 2 for losses of 5 yards (with a 1-yard sack), and deflected a pass. He had 2 tackles at Stanford (with 1 for a loss of 4 yards) and he had the sack against Oregon.

2005: Spicer redshirted as a freshman defensive tackle in 2005, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: Among his 2004 honors were **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, USA Today All-USA second team, Scout.com All-American first team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team and Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team** as a senior defensive lineman and running back at Rancho Cucamonga (Calif.) High. He had 82 tackles, 14 sacks, 5 forced fumbles and 5 deflections in 2004 despite missing 2 games with a cracked rib.

As a junior in 2003, he made **Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team and All-Valley first team** while posting 71 tackles, 29 tackles for loss, 14 sacks, 3 forced fumbles and 2 fumble recoveries. In his career as a 4-year starter, he had 280 tackles and 37 sacks.

He also was on Rancho Cucamonga's track team, with best of 11.2 in the 100 meters, 61-8 in the shot put and 170-0 in the discus throw. Current Trojan Terrell Thomas also prepped at Rancho Cucamonga.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. He grew up in Florida before moving to California when he was in middle school.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)…	3	2/5	1	0
2007 (So.)…	8	1/9	0	0
CAREER…….	11	3/14	1	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH AVERELL SPICER

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	1	1/9	0	0
Washington	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	3	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (So.)…	8	1/9	0	0

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Stanford	2	1/4	1	0
Oregon	1	1/1	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	3	2/5	1	0

(15) KEVIN THOMAS
Cornerback, 6-1, 185, Jr./Jr., Oxnard, CA (Rio Mesa HS)

2007: Thomas, who has starting experience, redshirted as a junior cornerback in 2007 while recuperating from surgery on a sprained left shoulder prior to 2007 spring practice.

2006: Thomas was set to be a key contributor at cornerback in 2006 as a sophomore, but injuries limited his availability. He started the opener at Arkansas but sprained his right ankle in that game, which caused him to miss the next 2 games (Nebraska and Arizona). He returned for USC's next 3 games (even starting against Arizona State) but broke his left foot against Arizona State and was sidelined the rest of the season. Overall in 2006 while appearing in 4 games, he had 10 tackles, a fumble recovery and a deflection. He had a tackle and an interception at Arkansas, then added 2 tackles and a deflection at Washington State, 3 tackles against Washington and 4 tackles versus Arizona State.

2005: Thomas saw action as a backup cornerback and on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 9 games (all but Hawaii, Oregon, Arizona State and Arizona), he made 7 tackles and 2 deflections. He missed the Oregon, Arizona State and Arizona games because of mononucleosis. He had 3 tackles at Washington and 2 versus Washington State.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2004 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, All-CIF Division IV, Los Angeles Times All-Star, Los Angeles Times All-Ventura/North Coast Back of the Year and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team** honors as a senior defensive back and wide receiver at Rio Mesa High in Oxnard (Calif.). He had 81 tackles and 5 interceptions (1 for a TD) on defense, caught 27 passes for 430 yards (15.9 avg.) with 5 TDs on offense and returned a kickoff for a score in 2004.

As a junior in 2003, he made **All-County and All-League first team** while recording 68 tackles, 3 interceptions, 2 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery, plus getting 21 catches for 481 yards (22.9 avg.) with 1 TD.

He also ran track at Rio Mesa, with best of 10.84 in the 100 meters and 22.0 in the 200 meters.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (Fr.)…	7	0/0	2	0
2006 (So.)…	10	0/0	1	1
CAREER…….	17	0/0	3	1

GAME-BY-GAME WITH KEVIN THOMAS

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas*	1	0/0	0	1
Wash. St.	2	0/0	1	0
Washington	3	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.*	4	0/0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	10	0/0	1	1

*Starter

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	1	0/0	0	0
Washington	3	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	2	0/0	0	0
Stanford	0	0/0	1	0
UCLA	1	0/0	0	0
Texas (RB)	0	0/0	1	0
2005 (So.)…	7	0/0	2	0

(28) TERRELL THOMAS
Cornerback, 6-1, 200, Sr.*/Sr., Alta Loma, CA (Rancho Cucamonga HS)

2007: Thomas, known for his lock-down skills on receivers, started his second year at cornerback as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while starting all 12 games, he had 41 tackles, including 3 for losses of 24 yards (with a 15-yard sack), plus a team-best 4 interceptions that he returned 44 yards (11.0 avg.), a team-high 7 deflections, 2 forced fumbles and 1 fumble recovery. He was named to the **2007 All-Pac-10 second team** (for the second consecutive year), **ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team**. He had surgery on a dislocating left shoulder prior to 2007 spring practice.

He had 4 tackles (0.5 for a loss) against Idaho, 3 tackles and returned an interception 19 yards to set up a USC TD at Nebraska, 5 tackles and 1 deflection against Washington State, 4 tackles, forced a fumble that he recovered and recovered a late onside kick at Washington and 3 tackles and 3 deflections against Stanford. He added 6 tackles and a deflection against Arizona, a deflection at Notre Dame, 2 stops at Oregon and 3 tackles, a deflection and an interception that he returned 25 yards to set up a USC TD against Oregon State. He had 5 stops (including 1.5 for a loss, with a sack that forced a fumble) at California, 3 stops at Arizona State and 4 tackles (including 1 for a loss) and an interception that led to a USC TD versus UCLA (to win **USC's Player of the Game versus UCLA Award**).

2006: Thomas, who began the 2005 season as a starting cornerback before being sidelined by a knee injury, won back his starting spot as a junior in 2006 and did an outstanding job. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 50 tackles, including 3 sacks for minus 32 yards, plus a team-high 12 deflections, 2 interceptions that he returned 7 yards (3.5 avg.), 2 forced fumbles and a TD on a return of a blocked field goal. He made the **2006 All-Pac-10 second team, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team and Scout.com All-Pac-10 second team**.

He had 2 tackles and an interception at Arkansas and 4 tackles and a forced fumble against Nebraska. He then had a team-high 6 tackles (1 sack) at Arizona and a team-best 9 tackles with 2 deflections at Washington State. He added a tackle and 4 deflections against Washington, a tackle and deflection versus Arizona Stat and 3 stops and a deflection at Oregon State. He had a sack, an interception and returned a blocked field goal 71 yards for a TD at Stanford. He had 6 tackles and a deflection against both Oregon and California. He had 4 stops and 2 deflections against Notre Dame, 3 tackles at UCLA and 4 tackles (with a sack) against Michigan.

2005: Thomas started USC's first 2 games of 2005 at cornerback as a sophomore. But he tore ligaments in his right knee against Arkansas and had surgery, sidelining him for the season. Overall in 2005, he had 5 tackles and 1 deflection. He had 3 tackles at Hawaii and 2 stops with a deflection versus Arkansas.

2004: Thomas, who was switched from safety to cornerback prior to 2004 spring practice, was a backup there and played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in 11 games (all but California and Arizona), he had 9 tackles, 2 deflections and 2 interceptions (at BYU and Washington State, both in the end zone; he returned the BYU pick 29 yards). He had 3 stops against Arizona State.

2003: Thomas redshirted as a freshman safety in 2003, his first year at USC. He was sidelined the entire season after having surgery to repair a dislocating right shoulder suffered in 2003 fall practice.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2002 Super Prep All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, All-CIF Division II first team and Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire first team** choice as a senior at Rancho Cucamonga (Calif.) High. He ran for 1,250 yards on 134 carries (9.3 avg.) with 14 TDs and caught 30 passes with 5 TDs as a running back and had 115 tackles, 7 interceptions and 4 forced fumbles as a defensive back (he also averaged 44.5 yards on kickoff returns) in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he had 78 tackles and 5 interceptions, plus 15 catches for 250 yards (16.7 avg.) with 6 TDs.

He also was on the school's track team (with bests of 10.5 in the 100 meters and 21.4 in the 200). Current Trojan Averell Spicer also prepped at Rancho Cucamonga.

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	9	0/0	2	0	2	29	14.5	0	29
2005 (So.)…	5	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	50	3/32	12	0	2	7	3.5	0	5
2007 (Sr.)…	41	3/24	7	1	4	44	11.0	0	25
CAREER……	105	6/56	22	1	8	80	10.0	0	29

GAME-BY-GAME WITH TERRELL THOMAS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho*	4	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska*	3	0/0	0	0	1	19	19.0	0	19
Wash. St.*	4	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	4	0/0	0	1	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	3	0/0	3	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	6	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	0	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	3	0/0	1	0	1	25	25.0	0	25
California*	5	1.5/16	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	4	1/7	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	41	3/24	7	1	4	44	11.0	0	25

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas*	2	0/0	0	0	1	2	0.0	0	2
Nebraska*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	6	1/13	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	8	0/0	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	1	0/0	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	1	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	3	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	1	1/11	0#	0	1	5	5.0	0	5
Oregon*	6	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California*	6	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	4	0/0	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA*	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Mich. (RB)*	4	1/8	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	50	3/32	12	0	2	7	3.5	0	5

#Recovered blocked field goal and returned it for a TD

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Hawaii*	3	0/0	0	0
Arkansas*	2	0/0	1	0
2005 (So.)…	5	0/0	1	0

*Starter

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Colorado St.	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU	2	0/0	0	0	1	29	29.0	0	29
Arizona St.	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	0	0/0	0	0	1	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	0	0/0	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Okla. (OB)	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2004 (Sr.)…	7	0/0	2	0	2	29	14.5	0	29

(89) DALE THOMPSON
Tight End, 6-4, 255, Sr./Sr., Corona, CA (Santiago HS)

2007: Thompson, regarded for his blocking skills, was an often-used backup tight end as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he caught 1 pass for 9 yards (against Washington State).

2006: Thompson was a key backup tight end as a junior in 2006. He even started 3 times (Stanford, Oregon, California). Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 3 catches for 19 yards (6.3 avg.). His catches came against Arizona (6 yards), California (8 yards) and UCLA (5 yards).

2005: Thompson was a backup tight end and played on special teams as a sophomore in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 10 games (all but Washington, Washington State and Texas), he caught 1 pass for 5 yards (5.0 avg.) and made 1 tackle. He even started the Hawaii opener. His catch came against UCLA. He suffered a broken thumb against Arizona State, but he continued to play in games while wearing a cast.

2004: Thompson was a reserve tight end and played on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2004. He appeared in 12 games (all but Virginia Tech). He did not catch a pass, but made 1 tackle (at Washington State).

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2003 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division V, Los Angeles Times All-Inland Empire, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-Riverside County and All-Mountain View League first team** honors as a senior tight end at Santiago High in Corona (Calif.). He had 40 receptions for 700 yards (17.5 avg.) with 10 TDs, plus 200 rushing yards with 2 TDs, in 2003.

As a junior in 2002, he made the **All-Mountain View League first team**. He began the 2002 season at tight end, then broke his right hand and missed the next 2 games before returning as an offensive tackle for the next 5 contests (he was moved back to tight end for the season finale when the cast on his hand was removed). He made 6 catches for 125 yards (20.9 avg.) with 3 TDs in 2002.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2004 (Fr.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	1	5	5.0	0	5	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	3	19	6.3	0	8	0	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	1	9	9.0	0	9	0	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	5	33	6.6	0	9	2	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH DALE THOMPSON

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Wash. St.	1	9	9.0	0	9
2007 (Sr.)…	1	9	9.0	0	9

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arizona	1	6	6.0	0	6
California*	1	8	8.0	0	8
UCLA	1	5	5.0	0	5
2006 (Jr.)…	3	19	6.3	0	8

*Starter

2005

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arizona St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
UCLA	1	5	5.0	0	5	0	0/0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	1	5	5.0	0	5	1	0/0	0	0

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	1	0/0	0	0

(44) CHRISTIAN TUPOU
Defensive Tackle, 6-2, 275, Fr./Fr., Sacramento, CA (Grant HS)

2007: Tupou saw brief action in 3 games (Washington State, Notre Dame and Arizona State) as a reserve defensive tackle as a first-year freshman in 2007. He did not make a tackle. He won **USC's John McKay Award and Service Team Defensive Player of the Year Award**.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team and Sacramento Bee Defensive MVP** as a senior defensive end and fullback at Grant High in Sacramento (Calif.). He had 82 tackles and 5 sacks in 2006 as Grant went 13-0.

As a junior in 2005, he was **All-Area, All-City and All-League** as he had 85 tackles, 16 sacks and 3 fumble recoveries.

He had 26 tackles and 9 sacks as a 2004 sophomore.

He also played basketball at Gran

PERSONAL: His brother, Fenuki, is a junior offensive tackle at Oregon.

(1) PATRICK TURNER
Wide Receiver, 6-5, 220, Jr./Jr., Nashville, TN (Goodpasture HS)

CAREER: His 89 career catches is 21st on USC's all-time pass catching chart.

2007: Turner, USC's most experienced wide receiver, started at both wideout spots (3 early-season games at flanker and 7 contests at split end) in his 2007 junior season. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 11 games (all but Idaho) and starting 10 times (all but Idaho and UCLA), he had 48 receptions for 569 yards (11.9 avg.) with 3 touchdowns. He also had a tackle and a forced fumble. He was a **2007 Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick. He missed the Idaho game after suffering a stinger in 2007 fall camp.

He had 3 receptions for 24 yards at Nebraska, 7 catches for 74 yards (64 yards) against Washington State, Turner had a 6 catches for 87 yards (both game highs) with a 23-yard TD at Washington and a game-high 9 receptions for 83 yards against Stanford. He added 3 catches for 21 yards against Arizona, 4 catches for 42 yards at Notre Dame and 7 receptions for 107 yards (with a 9-yard TD) at Oregon. He caught a 13-yard TD against Oregon State and a 13-yard pass (for a key first down late in the game while USC was trying to protect its lead) at California. He then had 5 receptions for 70 yards at Arizona State and 2 catches for 35 yards against UCLA.

2006: Turner saw significant action as a sophomore backup wide receiver in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games (he even started the Washington State and Washington games), he caught 29 passes for 272 yards (9.4 avg.) with 2 TDs. He also made 2 tackles and threw an incomplete pass (off a reverse against Nebraska).

He had 2 catches for 15 yards (including a 14-yard TD) at Arkansas, then had 2 receptions for 13 yards at Arizona. He caught 5 passes for 25 yards at Washington State. He started in place of an injured Dwayne Jarrett against Washington and had a game-best 12 catches for 116 yards (both career highs) with a 17-yard TD (the most receptions by a Trojan since Mike Williams had 13 at Oregon in 2002). He caught 2 passes for 33 yards at Oregon State, added a 14-yard reception at Stanford and a 17-yard reception against Oregon. He had 2 catches for 21 yards against California and a 20-yard reception against Notre Dame.

2005: Turner served as an often-used backup wide receiver as a first-year freshman in 2005. Overall in 2005 while appearing in 12 games

(all but UCLA), he had 12 catches for 170 yards (14.2 avg.) with 2 TDs. He had 2 catches for 25 yards (including a 21-yard TD) against Arkansas, added a 20-yard reception against Arizona and had 2 grabs for 40 yards (with a 31-yard TD) at Washington. He then had 2 catches for 21 yards against Washington State, 3 receptions for 35 yards versus Stanford and 2 catches for 29 yards at California. He strained his right hamstring against Fresno State and missed the UCLA game.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2004 Parade All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star Top 100 Dream Team, Student Sports Top 100, Rivals 100, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Scout.com All-American first team, USA Today All-USA second team, EA Sports All-American second team, Super Prep All-Dixie Offensive Player of the Year, Prep Star All-Southeast, Atlanta Journal-Constitution Super Southern 100 and FSN South All-South** selection as a senior wide receiver at Goodpasture High in West Madison (Tenn.). He had 48 receptions for 800-plus yards and 11 touchdowns in 2004.

As a junior, he caught 56 passes for 955 yards (17.1 avg.) with 12 TDs.

He was a **Student Sports Sophomore All-American** in 2002 when he had 56 catches for 1,033 yards with 14 TDs.

He also was on the basketball and track teams at Goodpasture.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	PA	PC	PI	PCT	YDS	TD	LG
2005 (Fr.)…	12	170	14.2	2	31	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0
2006 (So.)…	29	272	9.4	2	29	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	48	569	11.9	3	31	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0
CAREER…….	89	1011	11.4	7	31	1	0	0	.000	0	0	0

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (So.)…	2	0/0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	1	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	3	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH PATRICK TURNER

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska*	3	24	8.0	0	11
Wash. St.*	7	74	10.6	0	17
Washington*	6	87	14.5	1	23
Stanford*	9	83	9.2	0	31
Arizona*	3	21	7.0	0	9
Notre Dame*	4	42	10.5	0	17
Oregon*	7	107	15.3	1	24
Oregon St.*	1	13	13.0	1	13
California*	1	13	13.0	0	13
Arizona St.*	5	70	14.0	0	29
UCLA	2	35	17.5	0	19
2007 (Jr.)…	48	569	11.9	3	31

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	2	15	7.5	1	14
Arizona	2	13	6.5	0	10
Wash. St.*	5	25	5.0	0	10
Washington*	12	116	9.7	1	29
Arizona St.	1	-2	-2.0	0	-2
Oregon St.	2	33	16.5	0	25
Stanford	1	14	14.0	0	14
Oregon	1	17	17.0	0	17
California	2	21	10.5	0	13
Notre Dame	1	20	20.0	0	20
2006 (So.)…	29	272	9.4	2	29

*Starter

2005

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	2	25	12.5	1	21
Arizona	1	20	20.0	0	20
Washington	2	40	20.0	1	31
Wash. St.	2	21	10.5	0	14
Stanford	3	35	11.7	0	24
California	2	29	14.5	0	20
2005 (Fr.)…	12	170	14.2	2	31

(26) MARC TYLER
Tailback, 6-0, 215, Fr./Fr., Yorba Linda, CA (Oaks Christian HS)

2007: Tyler redshirted as a freshman tailback in 2007, his first year at USC. He was slowed all season while recuperating from a high school leg injury.

HIGH SCHOOL: His 2006 honors included **USA Today All-USA first team, Parade All-American, EA Sports All-American first team, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Scout.com All-American, Lemming All-American, Super Prep Elite 50, Prep Star 100, Rivals.com 100, Arena Football League High School Ironman of the Year (nation's top 2-way player), Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Scout.com All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 first team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Gatorade California Player of the Year, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools MVP, All-CIF Northwest Division first team, Los Angeles Times All-Star Back MVP and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area Co-MVP** as a senior at Oaks Christian High in Westlake Village (Calif.). He ran for 1,700 yards on 131 carries (13.0 avg.) with 25 TDs and caught 12 passes for 265 yards (22.1 avg.) with 4 TDs as a running back, plus made 51 tackles, 2 sacks, 2 interceptions and 1 fumble recovery (for a TD) as a linebacker in 2006 despite breaking his leg before the playoffs. Oaks Christian went 15-0 and won the 2006 CIF Northwest Division and California state Division III championships (winning 46 consecutive games).

As a junior in 2005, he was named to the **EA Sports All-American third team, Cal-Hi Sports Junior MVP, Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Small Schools first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Underclass first team, All-CIF Southern Section first team, All-CIF Division XI Co-Offensive MVP and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area first team**. He ran for 2,196 yards on 193 carries (11.4 avg.) with 45 TDs and had 28 receptions for 413 yards (14.8 avg.) with 6 TDs in 2005.

As a sophomore in 2004, he made **Student Sports Sophomore All-American, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Small Schools first team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Sophomore first team, All-CIF Division XI first team, Los Angeles Times All-Ventura/North Coast first team and Los Angeles Daily News All-Area Small Schools first team**. He ran for 802 yards and 12 TDs and caught 37 passes for 830 yards (22.4 avg.) with 12 TDs in 2004 as Oaks Christian was in the CIF Division XI championship game.

In his 4-year career, he had 5,443 rushing yards on 431 carries (12.6 avg.), 1,645 receiving yards, 8,000 all-purpose yards and 123 touchdowns. Current Trojan Marshall Jones also attended Oaks Christian.

PERSONAL: His father, Wendell Tyler, was a running back at UCLA (1973-76) who led the Bruins in rushing in 1975 (they won the Rose Bowl that season), earned All-Conference first team honors in 1976 and is fifth on the school's career rushing list, then was an All-Pro with the Los Angeles Rams (1977-82) and San Francisco 49ers (1983-86), appearing in the Super Bowl in 1980 and 1985.

(48) BRAD WALKER
Wide Receiver, 6-2, 215, Sr./Sr., Tustin, CA (Foothill HS)

CAREER: Walker has appeared in 42 games at USC.

2007: Walker, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2007 and who has 4 relatives who played college football (including 3 at USC), was a backup wide receiver and key special teams player as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 11 games (he missed the Oregon State game with an ankle sprain suffered at Oregon), he had 6 catches for 55 yards (9.2 avg.), plus 6 tackles and a fumble recovery. He caught 2 passes against both Idaho (22 yards for his first career catches) and Nebraska (23 yards) and 1 each against Oregon (8 yards) and UCLA (2 yards). He had 2 tackles at Nebraska and 1 each against Washington State, Washington, Oregon and UCLA. His fumble recovery came at Oregon.

2006: Walker appeared in all 13 games in 2006 as a walk-on junior backup wide receiver and special teams performer. He did not catch a pass, but made a tackle against Oregon.

2005: Walker appeared in all 13 games in 2005 as a walk-on sophomore backup wide receiver and on special teams. He did not catch a pass, but made a tackle against California.

2004: Walker played in 5 games (Colorado State, BYU, Washington State, Arizona and Notre Dame) as a first-year freshman walk-on wide receiver and special teams player. He did not catch a pass.

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2003 All-CIF Division VI first team** honors as a senior at Foothill High in Santa Ana (Calif.).

PERSONAL: He's a public policy, management and planning major at USC with a B- average (2.72 GPA). He uncle, John Katnik, started at center for USC in 1986 and 1987. His cousin, Norm Katnik, lettered 4 years (2000-03) as a center at USC (he started the last 3 years) and was a member of USC's 2003 and 2004 national championship teams before playing in the NFL with the San Francisco 49ers and New York Jets. Another cousin, Kurt Katnik, lettered at tight end on USC's 2003 national championship squad. Another uncle, Norm Katnik, started at center for Arizona in 1978 and 1979.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2005 (So.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	6	55	9.2	0	18	1	0/0	0	1
CAREER…….	6	55	9.2	0	18	3	0/0	0	1

GAME-BY-GAME WITH BRAD WALKER

2007

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	2	22	11.0	0	13	0	0/0	0	0
Nebraska	2	23	11.5	0	18	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	0/0	0	0
Oregon	1	8	8.0	0	8	1	0/0	0	1
UCLA	1	2	2.0	0	2	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	6	55	9.2	0	18	1	0/0	0	1

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
California	1	0/0	0	0

(23) CHAUNCEY WASHINGTON
Tailback, 6-0, 220, Sr.*/Sr., Torrance, CA (South Torrance HS)

CAREER: He has 1,703 career rushing yards, 24th on USC's all-time rushing list.

2007: The hard-charging Washington, who led USC in rushing in 2006 and 2007, started at tailback as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 11 games (he sat out the Idaho opener after spraining his right shoulder in 2007 fall camp) and starting the last 10 games, he ran for 894 yards on 183 carries (4.9 avg.) with 9 touchdowns and caught 4 passes for 47 yards (11.8 avg.) with 1 TD. He made **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention, Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team and Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 third team**. He was a **Senior Bowl invitee**.

He had 43 yards on 12 rushes (with a pair of 1-yard TDs) at Nebraska, then had a game-high 84 yards on 11 carries (with a 7-yard TD) against Washington State. He had 106 yards (including a career-long 53-yard run) on 21 carries with a 2-yard scoring run at Washington, a game-best 75 yards on 23 carries (with a 1-yard TD) against Stanford, 54 yards on 17 carries (with an 18-yard TD) against Arizona and 64 yards on 12 carries and caught a 5-yard pass at Notre Dame. He ran for 42 yards on 11 carries at Oregon, then had a game-best 60 yards on 12 carries (with a 1-yard TD) and also caught 2 passes for 31 yards (with a nice 26-yard catch-and-run TD) against Oregon State. He then ran for a career-best 220 yards (on 29 carries), including 64 on a game-winning 96-yard scoring drive in the fourth quarter, at California (it was the most rushing yards by a Trojan since Reggie Bush had 260 versus UCLA in 2005 and was Washington's fourth career 100-yard outing, surpassing his previous high by 101 yards) and he jetted for a 36-yard TD to earn **Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week** honors. He ran for a game-best 80 yards on 22 carries and caught an 11-yard pass at Arizona State, then had 66 yards on 13 attempts (with a 10-yard TD) against UCLA.

2006: Washington was USC's rushing leader as a junior in 2006 after missing the previous 2 seasons because of ineligibility. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he ran for 744 yards on 157 carries (4.7 avg.) with 9 TDs, caught 9 passes for 93 yards (10.3 avg.) and had a tackle. He led USC in rushing in 6 games. He did this despite being nagged early in the 2006 season with a hamstring injury. He started 4 mid-season games in 2006 (Arizona State, Oregon State, Stanford, Oregon) when finally healthy, but a knee sprain bothered him after that. He sat out 2006 spring practice while academically ineligible.

He had 55 yards on 8 tries at Arkansas, 52 yards on 12 carries and scored his first career TD (a 7-yarder) versus Nebraska and 33 yards on 10 tries and a 4-yard catch at Arizona. He had a game-high 71 yards on 18 carries, with a 3-yard TD, at Washington State, then a team-high 81 yards on 17 carries and caught 2 passes for 17 yards versus Washington. Against Arizona State, he had a game-best 108 yards on 22 carries, both career bests, with the game-winning 2-yard scoring run with 4:29 to play (he had 64 yards on 10 carries on the decisive 74-yard scoring drive) and added a 29-yard reception in his first career start. He led USC with 81 yards on 18 carries, with a 2-yard TD run and a 2-point conversion run, and also added 3 catches for 32 yards at Oregon State. He ran for a game-best 74 yards on 12 carries (with a 15-yard TD run on fourth down) at Stanford. He ran for 3 touchdowns (5, 3 and a career-long 43 yards) and gained a career-high 119 yards on 15 carries (a 7.9 average per carry) against Oregon (he also caught a 7-yard pass). He then had 29 yards on 12 carries against California, added 24 yards on 6 rushes against Notre Dame, had 9 yards on 5 carries at UCLA and ran for 8 yards on 2 carries against Michigan.

2005: Washington was sidelined for his second consecutive year while academically ineligible as a sophomore in 2005. He had an impressive showing in 2005 spring practice.

2004: Washington redshirted the 2004 season while academically ineligible. He missed 2004 spring practice while recovering from an ankle injury.

2003: Washington was a backup tailback and played on special teams as a first-year freshman in 2003. Overall in 2003 while appearing in 7 games (all but California, Arizona State, Arizona, UCLA, Oregon State and Michigan), he ran for 65 yards on 19 carries (3.4 avg.), caught a 6-yard pass and made 3 tackles. He sprained his right ankle against Hawaii and missed USC's next 2 games, then reinjured the ankle against Washington State and missed the last 4 contests (a stress fracture also was discovered in the ankle).

HIGH SCHOOL: He earned **2002 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State Medium Schools first team, All-CIF Southern Section second team, All-CIF Division X first team, Los Angeles Times All-South Bay/Westside first team, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team and All-Pioneer League Co-MVP** honors as a senior running back at South Torrance (Calif.) High. He ran for 1,549 yards on 140 carries (11.1 avg.) with 23 TDs and caught 13 passes for 200 yards (15.4 avg.) with 2 TDs in 2002 despite missing 5 games with a knee injury.

As a junior in 2001, he was named to the **All-CIF Division X first team, Los Angeles Times All-South Bay first team, South Bay Daily Breeze All-South Bay first team and All-Ocean League first team**. He gained 1,975 yards on 225 carries (8.8 avg.) with 26 TDs, plus had 22 catches for 273 yards (12.4 avg.) with 2 TDs and returned 10 kickoffs for 324 yards (32.4 avg.) in 2001.

As a sophomore in 2000, he made the **All-Ocean League first team** as he rushed for 1,548 yards on 179 carries (8.6 avg.).

He also competed for South Torrance's soccer and track (with a best of 10.5 in the 100 meters) teams.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2003 (Fr.)…	19	65	3.4	0	10	1	6	6.0	0	6
2006 (Jr.)…	157	744	4.7	9	43	9	93	10.3	0	27
2007 (Sr.)…	183	894	4.9	9	53	4	47	11.8	1	26
CAREER…….	359	1703	4.7	18	53	14	146	10.4	1	27

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2003 (Fr.)…	3	0/0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	1	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	4	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH CHAUNCEY WASHINGTON

2007

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Nebraska	12	43	3.6	2	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.*	11	84	7.6	1	22	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	21	106	5.0	1	53	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	23	75	3.3	1	12	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	17	54	3.2	1	18	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	12	64	5.3	0	12	1	5	5.0	0	5
Oregon*	11	42	3.8	0	9	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.*	12	60	5.0	1	19	2	31	15.5	1	26
California*	29	220	7.6	1	36	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	22	80	3.6	0	8	1	11	11.0	0	11
UCLA*	13	66	5.1	1	13	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	183	894	4.9	9	53	4	47	11.8	1	26

2006

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	8	55	6.9	0	16	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska	12	52	4.3	1	9	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona	10	33	3.3	0	10	1	4	4.0	0	4
Wash. St.	18	71	3.9	1	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	17	81	4.8	0	23	2	17	8.5	0	17
Arizona St.*	22	108	4.9	1	23	1	29	29.0	0	27
Oregon St.*	18	81	4.5	1	13	3	32	10.7	0	13
Stanford*	12	74	6.2	1	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	15	119	7.9	3	43	1	7	7.0	0	7
California	12	29	2.4	0	6	1	4	4.0	0	4
Notre Dame	6	24	4.0	1	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	5	9	1.8	0	5	0	0	0.0	0	0
Michigan (RB)	2	8	4.0	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	157	744	4.7	9	43	9	93	10.3	0	27

*Starter

2003

	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Auburn	3	24	8.0	0	10	0	0	0.0	0	0
BYU	3	8	2.7	0	3	0	0	0.0	0	0
Hawaii	3	8	2.7	0	9	1	6	6.0	0	6
Notre Dame	6	8	1.3	0	4	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington	4	17	4.3	0	7	0	0	0.0	0	0
2003 (Fr.)…	19	65	3.4	0	10	1	6	6.0	0	6

(81) GERALD WASHINGTON
Defensive End, 6-6, 260, Jr.*/Sr., Vallejo, CA (Vallejo HS/Chaffey JC)

2007: Washington, who was moved from tight end to defensive end in the spring of 2007, saw brief action in 9 games (all but Nebraska, Washington and Stanford) as a junior in 2007, primarily on special teams (blocking on placekicks) and as a backup end. He had a tackle against Washington State. He had arthroscopic surgery on his left knee following 2007spring practice.

2006: Washington, who enrolled at USC in the spring of 2006 after transferring from a junior college, redshirted as a junior tight end in 2006. He suffered a bruised knee prior to the Arizona game and was sidelined the rest of the season. He entered USC as a tight end, was switched to defensive end early in 2006 fall camp, then was moved back to tight end early in the season.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: He was named to the **2005 J.C. Athletic Bureau All-American first team, Super Prep JUCO 100, J.C. Athletic Bureau All-State Region II first team and All-Foothill Conference first team** squads as a sophomore tight end at Chaffey Junior College in Rancho Cucamonga (Calif.). He caught 23 passes with 2 TDs in 2005.

As a freshman in 2004, he had 15 receptions with 1 TD.

HIGH SCHOOL: He prepped at Vallejo (Calif.) High, where he played football just as a senior (his only catch was a 21-yard touchdown).

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC. Before he entered junior college in 2004, he spent the previous 4 years in the U.S. Navy as a helicopter mechanic. As a youth, he played tennis and competed in juniors tournaments.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2007 (Jr.)...	1	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH GERALD WASHINGTON

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)...	1	0/0	0	0

(18) DAMIAN WILLIAMS
Wide Receiver, 6-1, 190, So./So., Springdale, AR (Springdale HS/Arkansas)

2007: Williams, a talented sophomore wide receiver who transferred to USC in the spring of 2007 from Arkansas, sat out the 2007 season because of NCAA transfer rules. He tore a ligament in his shoulder during 2007 spring practice and sat out most of spring drills. He had post-spring surgery on both shoulders, which limited him in 2007.

ARKANSAS: He started 5 games at flanker for Arkansas as a first-year freshman in 2006. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he caught 19 passes (second on the team) for 235 yards (12.4 avg.) with 2 TDs, plus he had a 5-yard run and made 3 tackles. He had 4 catches for 61 yards (both season highs) in the 2006 opener against USC. He was named to the **2006 The Sporting News Freshman All-American third team, The Sporting News Freshman All-SEC and SEC Coaches Freshman All-SEC** squads.

HIGH SCHOOL: He prepped at Springdale (Ark.) High, where as a 2005 senior wide receiver, running back and defensive back he earned **Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, EA Sports All-American second team, ESPN 150, Prep Star Dream Team, Old Spice Red Zone Player of the Year, Super Prep All-Southwest, Prep Star All-Southeast, Little Rock Touchdown Club State Co-MVP, Arkansas Democrat-Gazette All-State Co-Offensive MVP, Northwest Arkansas Morning News All-State Offensive MVP and Landers Award (top Arkansas prep football student-athlete)**. He caught 63 passes for 1,495 yards (23.7 avg.) with 24 TDs, ran for 463 yards on 31 carries (14.9 avg.) with 12 TDs and had 8 kickoff returns for 254 yards (31.8 avg.) with 2 TDs on offense and made 25 tackles and 3 interceptions (1 for a TD) on defense in 2005 despite missing several games with injuries. Springdale went 14-0 in 2005, won the Arkansas state championship and finished No. 2 nationally.

As a 2004 junior, he made **All-State** as he caught 31 passes for 545 yards (17.6 avg.) with 4 TDs, rushed for 137 yards on 19 carries (7.2 avg.) with 2 TDs, returned 2 kickoffs for 116 yards (58.0 avg.) and averaged 13.1 yards on punt returns.

He also played baseball at Springdale, helping his team to the Class 5A-West title as a sophomore. Current Trojan Mitch Mustain also prepped at Springdale High and attended Arkansas.

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2006 (Fr.)#...	19	235	12.4	2	46	1	5	5.0	0	5

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)#...	3	0/0	0	0

#At Arkansas

GAME-BY-GAME WITH DAMIAN WILLIAMS

2006

	REC	YDS	AVG	TD	LG	TCB	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
USC	4	61	15.3	0	42	0	0	0.0	0	0
Utah St.*	2	53	26.5	0	46	0	0	0.0	0	0
Vanderbilt*	3	24	8.0	0	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
Alabama	1	2	2.0	0	2	0	0	0.0	0	0
SE Missouri	2	13	6.5	1	9	1	5	5.0	0	5
La. Monroe	1	8	8.0	0	8	0	0	0.0	0	0
Tennessee*	2	23	11.5	0	13	0	0	0.0	0	0
Miss. St.*	2	37	18.5	1	29	0	0	0.0	0	0
Florida	2	14	7.0	0	15	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)#	19	235	12.4	2	46	1	5	5.0	0	5

*Starter
#At Arkansas

(41) THOMAS WILLIAMS
Linebacker, 6-3, 235, Sr.*/Sr., Vacaville, CA (Vacaville HS)

CAREER: He started 14 games at 3 different positions in his career.

2007: Williams, USC's utility linebacker (he has played all 3 positions) who is versatile enough to have even played fullback, was a top backup linebacker and a key special teams player as a senior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in all 12 games, he made 50 tackles, including 3.5 for losses of 10 yards, plus 1 interception that he returned 5 yards, 5 deflections and 2 forced fumbles. He even started 4 games (Washington, Stanford and Arizona at strongside linebacker and Notre Dame at middle linebacker). He was a **2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention** pick. He won **USC's Most Inspirational Player Award and Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award**. He was an **East-West Shrine Game** invitee.

He had 3 tackles versus Idaho, 2 stops at Nebraska, 5 tackles, 1 forced fumble and 1 deflection against Washington State and 6 tackles (0.5 for a loss) and an interception at Washington. He then had 6 tackles against Stanford, 6 stops (1 for a loss) at Arizona, 1 tackles at Notre Dame and 4 tackles and a deflection at Oregon. He added 5 tackles (1 for a loss) at California, 6 stops at Arizona State and 5 tackles, 1 forced fumble and 1 deflection against UCLA.

2006: Williams, who started most of 2005 at linebacker, began his 2006 junior season as USC's utility linebacker, but was moved to fullback in midseason of 2006. He also was a key special teams performer. He made his first appearance at fullback blocking on Chauncey Washington's game-winning 2-yard touchdown run late in the Arizona State game. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games (he started the Stanford and UCLA games at fullback), he did not carry the ball or catch a pass, but he did make 18 tackles, including 1.5 for losses of 12 yards (with an 11-yard sack), and had an interception that he returned 12 yards and forced a fumble. He had 4 tackles against Nebraska (with the sack), Arizona State and Oregon State. He had 2 stops and the interception at Arkansas. He missed some of 2006 spring drills while recuperating from a 2005 knee injury. He also had surgery for an abdominal strain prior to 2006 spring practice.

2005: Williams played a key role for USC at linebacker as a sophomore in 2005. After serving as the backup on the strong side for USC's first 2 games, he took over the starting job there for the next 6 contests (Oregon, Arizona State, Arizona, Notre Dame, Washington and Washington State), then switched to the starting inside job for the Stanford and California games. But he sprained his left kneecap at California and was sidelined for USC's last 3 games (Fresno State, UCLA and Texas). Overall in 2005 while appearing in 10 games and starting 8 times (all but Hawaii, Arkansas, Fresno State, UCLA and Texas), he had 29 tackles, including 4 for losses of 12 yards (with a 3-yard sack), plus 3 deflections, a forced fumble and an interception that he returned 10 yards.
He had 3 tackles at Hawaii and a tackle for a loss and a deflection against Arkansas. He then made 4 tackles at Oregon in his first start. He added 2 stops (with 1 for a loss) at Arizona State, 2 tackles against Arizona, 8 stops (with a sack) and a deflection at Notre Dame and 2 tackles (1 for a loss) at Washington. He had 5 tackles, an interception to set up a USC field goal and a forced fumble against Stanford in his first start at middle linebacker. He added 2 stops at Calfiornia before spraining his kneecap.

2004: Williams backed up Dallas Sartz at strongside linebacker and also played on special teams as a redshirt freshman in 2004. Overall in 2004 while appearing in all 13 games, he made 14 tackles, including 2 for losses of 8 yards (with a 7-yard sack at Washington State). He had 3 stops against Notre Dame. He won **USC's 2004 John McKay Award**.

2003: Williams redshirted as a freshman linebacker in 2003, his first year at USC.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named a **2002 Parade All-American, Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Tom Lemming All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-West, Tom Lemming All-West, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Tacoma News Tribune Western 100, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Cal-Hi Sports All-State first team and Sacramento Bee All-Sacramento first team** selection as a senior fullback and linebacker at Vacaville (Calif.) High. He had 125 tackles, with 12 sacks, plus 2 interceptions, 6 forced fumbles and 4 fumble recoveries in 2002.

As a junior in 2001, he posted 85 tackles, with 8 sacks, plus 3 interceptions, 4 forced fumbles and 3 fumble recoveries on defense, and had 378 rushing yards with 4 TDs (and 1 receiving TD) on offense.

He played safety as a sophomore in 2000.

He also played baseball (hitting .430) at Vacaville.

PERSONAL: He's a sociology major at USC.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
2004 (Fr.)…	14	2/8	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	29	4/12	3	0	1	10	10.0	0	10
2006 (Jr.)…	18	1.5/12	0	0	1	12	12.0	0	12
2007 (Sr.)…	50	3.5/10	5	0	1	5	5.0	0	5
CAREER…	111	11/42	8	0	3	27	9.0	0	12

GAME-BY-GAME WITH THOMAS WILLIAMS

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Idaho	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	5	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	6	0/0	0	0	1	5	5.0	0	5
Stanford*	6	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	6	1/4	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	4	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	1	1/5	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	5	1/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	5	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
UCLA	2	0/0	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2007 (Sr.)…	50	3.5/10	5	0	1	5	5.0	0	5

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Arkansas	2	0/0	0	0	1	12	12.0	0	12
Nebraska	4	1/11	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon St.	4	0.5/1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2006 (Jr.)…	18	1.5/12	0	0	1	12	12.0	0	12

2005

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR	INT	YDS	AVG	TD	LG
Hawaii	3	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arkansas	1	1/4	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Oregon*	4	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona St.*	2	1/1	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Arizona*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Notre Dame*	8	1/3	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Washington*	2	1/4	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
Stanford*	5	0/0	0	0	1	10	10.0	0	10
California*	2	0/0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0
2005 (So.)…	29	4/12	3	0	1	10	10.0	0	10

*Starter

2004

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Colorado St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	2	0/0	0	0
Washington	2	1/1	0	0
Wash. St.	2	1/7	0	0
Notre Dame	3	0/0	0	0
UCLA	1	0/0	0	0
Oklahoma (OB)	2	0/0	0	0
2004 (Fr.)…	14	2/8	0	0

(44) GREG WOIDNECK
Punter, 6-0, 200, Jr.*/Sr., Brea, CA
(Brea Olinda HS/Arizona State/Mt. San Antonio JC)

2007: Woidneck, a one-time walk-on who earned a scholarship in the fall of 2007, spent his second season as USC's punter as a junior in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 11 games (USC did not punt against Washington State), he averaged 38.1 yards on his 54 punts. He also had 1 tackle. Twenty of his 54 punts pinned opponents within the 20-yard line and 7 traveled at least 50 yards, but he had 3 punts blocked.

He averaged 43.0 yards on his 2 punts versus Idaho and 41.0 on his 4 punts at Nebraska (2 pinned the Cornhuskers within the 20 and 1 traveled 50 yards). He averaged 38.3 yards on his 4 punts at Washington but had 1 blocked, then averaged 40.8 on his 4 punts against Stanford, with a 56-yarder. He averaged 36.6 yards on his 7 punts against Arizona (including twice pinning UA within the 20). He averaged 37.0 yards on his 6 punts at Notre Dame (including 4 pinning ND within the 20) but had 1 blocked. He averaged 36.4 yards on 5 punts at Oregon, including a 54-yarder (1 pinned the Ducks within the 20). He averaged 36.4 yards on his 7 punts against Oregon State, with 3 pinning OSU within the 20. He averaged 34.0 yards on his 6 punts at California (including 2 that pinned the Bears within the 20) and used a variety of directional punts and sky kicks to eliminate the effect of star returner DeSean Jackson. He averaged 52.0 yards on his 2 punts at Arizona State (52 and 50 yards), but had 1 blocked. He averaged 38.3 yards punting versus UCLA with 4 of his 7 punts pinning the Bruins within the 20.

2006: Woidneck, who won the starting punter job in 2006 fall camp as a walk-on sophomore after transferring to USC via Arizona State and then a junior college, averaged 38.3 yards on his 48 punts while appearing in all 13 games in 2006. He also had a tackle. Sixteen of his 48 punts pinned opponents within the 20-yard line and 5 traveled at least 50 yards.

He pinned Arkansas within the 20 on 2 of his 3 punts while averaging 35.7 yards. He averaged 41.8 yards on his 4 punts against Nebraska and 44.5 yards on his 2 punts at Arizona. He averaged 44.2 yards on his 4 punts (with a 59-yarder) at Washington State and 43.0 yards on his 2 punts versus Washington. He then averaged 42.6 yards on 5 punts versus Arizona State and 37.5 yards on his 4 punts at Oregon State, 34.0 yards on his 4 punts at Stanford and 41.5 yards on his 2 punts versus Oregon. Against California, he averaged 30.2 yards on his 5 punts (with a pair within the 20 and a 59-yarder). He averaged 33.5 yards on his 2 punts (and he had another blocked) against Notre Dame. He averaged 38.7 yards on his 7 punts at UCLA, with 4 pinning the Bruins inside the 20. He averaged 35.2 yards on his 4 punts, with a 55-yarder, against Michigan.

JUNIOR COLLEGE: Woidneck averaged 39.5 yards on 42 punts in 2005 as a freshman at Mt. San Antonio Junior College in Walnut (Calif.). Fourteen of his punts pinned opponents within the 20-yard line and he had a long of 73 yards.

ARIZONA STATE: Woidneck redshirted as a first-year freshman punter at Arizona State in 2004.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was named to the **2003 Cal-Hi Sports All-State second team, Los Angeles Times All-Orange County first team and All-Century League first team** as a senior punter at Brea Olinda High in Brea (Calif.). He averaged 42.3 yards per punt in 2003.

He also started at safety and linebacker as a junior and senior at Brea Olinda.

PERSONAL: He's a business administration major at USC with a B- average (2.83 GPA). His Brian and Rob, were managers with the USC football team (2001-02).

	P	YDS	AVG	LG	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (So.)…	48	1838	38.3	59	1	0/0	0	0
2007 (Jr.)…	54	2057	38.1	56	1	0/0	0	0
CAREER…….	102	3895	38.2	59	2	0/0	0	0

GAME-BY-GAME WITH GREG WOIDNECK

2007

	P	YDS	AVG	LG
Idaho*	2	86	43.0	51
Nebraska*	4	164	41.0	50
Washington*	4	153	38.2	43
Stanford*	4	163	40.8	56
Arizona*	7	256	36.6	50
Notre Dame*	6	222	37.0	42
Oregon*	5	182	36.4	54
Oregon St.*	7	255	36.4	46
California*	6	204	34.0	38
Arizona St.*	2	104	52.0	54
UCLA*	7	268	38.3	43
2007 (Jr.)…	54	2057	38.1	56

	PUNTS	WITHIN 20	50+ YARDS
Idaho*	2	0	1
Nebraska*	4	2	1
Washington*	4	0	0
Stanford*	4	1	1
Arizona*	7	2	1
Notre Dame*	6	4	0
Oregon*	5	1	1
Oregon St.*	7	3	0
California*	6	2	0
Arizona St.*	2	1	2
UCLA*	7	4	0
2007 (Jr.)…	54	20	7

2006

	P	YDS	AVG	LG
Arkansas*	3	107	35.7	39
Nebraska*	4	167	41.8	51
Arizona*	2	89	44.5	47
Wash. St.*	4	177	44.2	59
Washington*	2	86	43.0	45
Arizona St.*	5	213	42.6	51
Oregon St.*	4	150	37.5	47
Stanford*	4	136	34.0	41
Oregon*	2	83	41.5	49
California*	5	151	30.2	52
Notre Dame*	2	67	33.5	39
UCLA*	7	271	38.7	51
Michigan (RB)*	4	141	35.2	55
2007 (So.)…	48	1838	38.3	59

	PUNTS	WITHIN 20	50+ YARDS
Arkansas*	3	2	0
Nebraska*	4	1	1
Arizona*	2	1	0
Wash. St.*	4	0	1
Washington*	2	0	0
Arizona St.*	5	3	1
Oregon St.*	4	0	0
Stanford*	4	2	0
Oregon*	2	1	0
California*	5	2	1
Notre Dame*	2	0	0
UCLA*	7	4	1
Michigan (RB)*	4	0	1
2007 (So.)…	48	16	6

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(24) SHAREECE WRIGHT
Cornerback, 6-0, 180, So./So., Colton, CA (Colton HS)

2007: Wright was a backup cornerback who was used often as USC's nickel back and also played on special teams as a sophomore in 2007. Overall in 2007 while appearing in 10 games (all but Stanford and Arizona), he had 26 tackles, including 3.5 for losses of 26 yards (with an 8-yard sack), plus 4 deflections. He even started the Washington game. He strained his left hamstring at Washington and missed the next 2 games (Stanford and Arizona). He had 4 stops (including 2 for losses) against Idaho, 2 tackles at Nebraska, 1 stop against Washington State and 3 tackles at Washington. He had 4 tackles (0.5 for loss) at Notre Dame. 4 stops and 2 deflections against Oregon State, 2 tackles at California, 4 tackles and a deflection at Arizona State and 2 tackles (with a sack) versus UCLA.

2006: Wright was a backup cornerback and key special teams player as a freshman in 2006, his first year at USC. Overall in 2006 while appearing in all 13 games, he had 15 tackles and 2 fumble recoveries (versus Arizona State and Stanford). He had 3 tackles against Notre Dame and 2 against Arkansas, Arizona State, Stanford and Oregon. He saw brief action at cornerback against Arkansas, Oregon and Michigan.

HIGH SCHOOL: He was a **2005 Super Prep All-American, Prep Star All-American, Super Prep All-Farwest, Prep Star All-Western, Long Beach Press-Telegram Best in the West first team, Orange County Register Fab 15 second team, Tacoma News-Tribune Western 100, Cal-Hi Sports All-State third team, All-CIF Southern Section second team, All-CIF Division I first team, Riverside Press-Enterprise All-San Bernardino first team and All-Citrus Belt League** selection as a senior defensive back and running back at Colton (Calif.) High. He had 68 tackles and 2 sacks in 2005, plus ran for 1,094 yards on 78 carries (14.1 avg.) with 16 TDs and caught 13 passes for 336 yards (25.8 avg.) with 4 TDs despite missing the first 2 games with a broken left hand.

As a junior in 2004, he made the **Riverside Press-Enterprise All-San Bernardino** squad while recording 102 tackles, 2 sacks, 3 interceptions and 2 fumble recoveries and rushing for 1,297 yard on 139 carries (9.3 avg.) with 14 TDs. Current Trojan Allen Bradford also prepped at Colton.

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
2006 (Fr.)…	15	0/0	0	2
2007 (So.)…	26	3.5/26	4	0
CAREER…….	41	3.5/26	4	2

GAME-BY-GAME WITH SHAREECE WRIGHT

2007

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Idaho	4	2/17	0	0
Nebraska	2	0/0	0	0
Wash. St.	1	0/0	1	0
Washington*	3	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	4	0.5/1	0	0
Oregon St.	4	0/0	2	0
California	2	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	4	0/0	1	0
UCLA	2	1/8	0	0
2007 (So.)…	26	3.5/26	4	0

*Starter

2006

	TAC	LS/YDS	DFL	FR
Arkansas	2	0/0	0	0
Washington	1	0/0	0	0
Arizona St.	2	0/0	0	1
Oregon St.	1	0/0	0	0
Stanford	2	0/0	0	1
Oregon	2	0/0	0	0
California	1	0/0	0	0
Notre Dame	3	0/0	0	0
Michigan (RB)	1	0/0	0	0
2006 (Fr.)…	15	0/0	0	2

2007 USC ALL-STAR HONORS

OT SAM BAKER
Lombardi Award semifinalist
Walter Camp All-American first team
Phil Steele's All-American first team
AP All-American second team
SI.com All-American second team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American second team
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team
USC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Year Award
Senior Bowl invitee
Playboy Pre-Season All-American team

QB JOHN DAVID BOOTY
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention
Senior Bowl invitee

PK DAVID BUEHLER
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention

OG-C JEFF BYERS
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 third team

LB BRIAN CUSHING
All-Pac-10 honorable mention

TE FRED DAVIS
Mackey Award winner
The Sporting News All-American first team
Phil Steele's All-American first team
AP All-American second team
SI.com All-American second team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American second team
Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
USC Co-MVP
John Mackey National Tight End of the Week (vs. Washington State)
Senior Bowl invitee

DT SEDRICK ELLIS
Bednarik Award semifinalist
Lott Trophy semifinalist
AP All-American first team (unanimous)
Football Coaches All-American first team
Football Writers All-American first team
Walter Camp All-American first team
The Sporting News first team
SI.com All-American first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American first team
Pro Football Weekly All-American first team
Phil Steele's All-American second team
Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year
Pac-10 Morris Trophy winner
All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com Pac-10 Player of the Year
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
USC Co-MVP
USC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Year Award
USC Co-Lifter of the Year Award
Senior Bowl invitee

S KEVIN ELLISON
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team
USC Bob Chandler Award
USC Co-Lifter of the Year Award

WR-QB GARRETT GREEN
USC Trojan Football Alumni Club Award

DE EVERSON GRIFFEN
The Sporting News Freshman All-American first team
Rivals.com Freshman All-American first team
Scout.com Freshman All-American first team
Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American second team
The Sporting News Pac-10 Defensive Freshman of the Year
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week (vs. Oregon State)

CB CARY HARRIS
2007 All-Pac-10 honorable mention

FB STANLEY HAVILI
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention

OG ZACK HEBERER
The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team

DE LAWRENCE JACKSON
AP All-American second team
Phil Steele's All-American second team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American third team
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
USC Co-Defensive Lineman of the Year Award
Walter Camp Football Foundation National Def. Player of the Week (vs. Ariz. St.)
Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Week (vs. Arizona State)
Senior Bowl invitee

TB STAFON JOHNSON
Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week (vs. Nebraska)

OT BUTCH LEWIS
The Sporting News Freshman All-American second team
Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American honorable mention
The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team

LB CLAY MATTHEWS
USC Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award

LB REY MAUALUGA
Phil Steele's All-American third team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American honorable mention
Pro Football Weekly All-American honorable mention
All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team

S TAYLOR MAYS
The Sporting News All-American first team
SI.com All-American second team
AP All-American third team
Collegefootballnews.com Sophomore All-American second team
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team

TB JOE McKNIGHT
Rivals.com Freshman All-American second team
The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
USC Jack Oakie "Rise and Shine" Award

DT FILI MOALA
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention

QB MITCH MUSTAIN
USC Service Team Offensive Player of the Year Award

C KRISTOFER O'DOWD
Scout.com Freshman All-American first team
Rivals.com Freshman All-American second team
Collegefootballnews.com Freshman All-American second team
The Sporting News Freshman All-American honorable mention
The Sporting News Pac-10 All-Freshman first team.
Rivals.com National Freshman of the Week (vs. Nebraska)

OG CHILO RACHAL
Phil Steele's All-American fourth team
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team

OT DREW RADOVICH
All-Pac-10 honorable mention pick
East-West Shrine Game invitee

LB KEITH RIVERS
Butkus Award semifinalist
Lott Trophy quarterfinalist
SI.com All-American first team
Pro Football Weekly All-American first team
Walter Camp All-American second team
Phil Steele's All-American third team
Collegefootballnews.com All-American honorable mention
All-Pac-10 first team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Collegefootballnews.com All-Pac-10 first team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 first team
USC Co-Lifter of the Year Award
Senior Bowl invitee
Playboy Pre-Season All-American team

QB MARK SANCHEZ
USC Player of the Game versus Notre Dame Award

C MATT SPANOS
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
USC Chris Carlisle Courage Award
USC Co-Offensive Lineman of the Year Award

CB TERRELL THOMAS
All-Pac-10 second team
ESPN.com All-Pac-10 first team
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 second team
USC Player of the Game versus UCLA Award

DT CHRISTIAN TUPOU
USC John McKay Award
USC Service Team Defensive Player of the Year Award

WR PATRICK TURNER
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 honorable mention

TB CHAUNCEY WASHINGTON
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
Rivals.com All-Pac-10 second team
Phil Steele's All-Pac-10 third team
Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week (vs. California)
Senior Bowl invitee

LB THOMAS WILLIAMS
All-Pac-10 honorable mention
USC Most Inspirational Award
USC Co-Special Teams Player of the Year Award
East-West Shrine Game invitee

2007 USC FOOTBALL STATISTICS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(10-2-0)	(5-1-0)	(5-1-0)	(0-0-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(7-2-0)	(4-1-0)	(3-1-0)	(0-0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(3-0-0)	(1-0-0)	(2-0-0)	(0-0-0)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
Sep 01, 2007	IDAHO	W	38-10	90917
Sep 15, 2007	at Nebraska	W	49-31	84959
*Sep 22, 2007	WASHINGTON STATE	W	47-14	86876
*Sep 29, 2007	at Washington	W	27-24	68654
*Oct 06, 2007	STANFORD	L	23-24	85125
*Oct 13, 2007	ARIZONA	W	20-13	84671
Oct 20, 2007	at Notre Dame	W	38-0	80795
*Oct 27, 2007	at Oregon	L	17-24	59277
*Nov 03, 2007	OREGON STATE	W	24-3	85713
*Nov 10, 2007	at #24 California	W	24-17	72516
*Nov 22, 2007	at #7 Arizona State	W	44-24	71706
*Dec 01, 2007	UCLA	W	24-7	91553

RUSHING	GP	Att	Gain	Loss	Net	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Washington, C.	11	183	916	22	894	4.9	9	53	81.3
Johnson, Stafon	10	89	584	15	569	6.4	5	45	56.9
McKnight, Joe	12	84	483	68	415	4.9	2	59	34.6
Gable, C.J.	3	13	143	0	143	11.0	0	40	47.7
Havili, Stanley	12	20	129	0	129	6.4	2	50	10.8
Dennis, Hershel	10	17	65	6	59	3.5	0	19	5.9
Reed, Desmond	12	8	42	1	41	5.1	0	12	3.4
Johnson, Ronald	12	4	27	0	27	6.8	0	9	2.2
Sanchez, Mark	7	14	42	20	22	1.6	0	11	3.1
Bradford, Allen	11	14	33	14	19	1.4	1	6	1.7
Hazelton, Vidal	12	1	12	0	12	12.0	0	12	1.0
Team	10	6	0	10	-10	-1.7	0	0	-1.0
McDonald, M.	12	1	0	11	-11	-11.0	0	0	-0.9
Booty, J.D.	9	20	14	103	-89	-4.4	1	9	-9.9
Total.....	12	474	2490	270	2220	4.7	20	59	185.0
Opponents.....	12	394	1361	411	950	2.4	12	39	79.2

PASSING	GP	Effic	Cmp-Att-Int	Pct	Yds	TD	Lng	Avg/G
Booty, J.D.	9	136.93	190-303-9	62.7	2106	20	63	234.0
Sanchez, Mark	7	123.23	69-114-5	60.5	695	7	48	99.3
McDonald, M.	12	-50.00	1-2-1	50.0	0	0	0	0.0
Team	10	0.00	0-2-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Reed, Desmond	12	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	12	131.37	260-422-15	61.6	2801	27	63	233.4
Opponents.....	12	99.63	219-408-10	53.7	2156	8	44	179.7

RECEIVING	GP	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	Avg/G
Davis, Fred	12	55	794	14.4	7	63	66.2
Hazelton, Vidal	12	49	535	10.9	4	48	44.6
Turner, Patrick	11	48	569	11.9	3	31	51.7
Havili, Stanley	12	30	185	6.2	5	27	15.4
Ausberry, David	12	24	212	8.8	1	21	17.7
McKnight, Joe	12	17	158	9.3	1	32	13.2
Reed, Desmond	12	8	73	9.1	0	19	6.1
Walker, Brad	11	6	55	9.2	0	18	5.0
Johnson, Ronald	12	5	95	19.0	1	47	7.9
Washington, C.	11	4	47	11.8	1	26	4.3
Johnson, Stafon	10	4	15	3.8	0	9	1.5
Bradford, Allen	11	3	23	7.7	2	11	2.1
McCoy, Anthony	12	2	18	9.0	1	16	1.5
Dennis, Hershel	10	2	5	2.5	0	3	0.5
Thompson, Dale	12	1	9	9.0	0	9	0.8
Gable, C.J.	3	1	8	8.0	1	8	2.7
Patterson, T.	3	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total.....	12	260	2801	10.8	27	63	233.4
Opponents.....	12	219	2156	9.8	8	44	179.7

FIELD GOALS	FGM-FGA	Pct	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	Lg	Blk
Buehler, David	16-19	84.2	0-0	7-7	6-7	3-5	0-0	47	0

SCORING	TD	FGs	Kick	PATs Rush	PATs Rcv	PATs Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Buehler, David	0	16-19	45-47	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	93
Washington, C.	10	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	60
Davis, Fred	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	42
Havili, Stanley	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	42
Johnson, Stafon	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Hazelton, Vidal	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	24
Bradford, Allen	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
McKnight, Joe	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Turner, Patrick	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Gable, C.J.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
McCoy, Anthony	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Johnson, Ronald	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Ausberry, David	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Booty, J.D.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Total.....	47	16-19	45-47	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	375
Opponents.....	23	10-14	21-21	0-0	1	1-2	0	0	191

TEAM STATISTICS	USC	OPP
FIRST DOWNS.....	260	196
Rushing.....	121	67
Passing.....	129	104
Penalty.....	10	25
RUSHING YARDAGE.....	2220	950
Yards gained rushing...	2490	1361
Yards lost rushing.....	270	411
Rushing Attempts.....	474	394
Average Per Rush.....	4.7	2.4
Average Per Game.....	185.0	79.2
TDs Rushing.....	20	12
PASSING YARDAGE.....	2801	2156
Att-Comp-Int.....	422-260-15	408-219-10
Average Per Pass.....	6.6	5.3
Average Per Catch.....	10.8	9.8
Average Per Game.....	233.4	179.7
TDs Passing.....	27	8
TOTAL OFFENSE.....	5021	3106
Total Plays.....	896	802
Average Per Play.....	5.6	3.9
Average Per Game.....	418.4	258.8
KICK RETURNS: #-YARDS....	36-833	60-1202
PUNT RETURNS: #-YARDS....	35-205	23-157
INT RETURNS: #-YARDS.....	10-96	15-323
FUMBLES-LOST.....	21-10	25-14
PENALTIES-YARDS.....	95-837	68-537
PUNTS-AVG.....	57-36.1	89-40.3
TIME OF POSSESSION/GAME..	32:02	27:58
3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	80/184	58/186
4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS.....	10/17	7/15

INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Thomas, Terrell	4	44	11.0	0	25
Ellison, Kevin	2	9	4.5	0	9
Moore, Kyle	2	38	19.0	0	24
Williams, T.	1	5	5.0	0	5
Mays, Taylor	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total.....	10	96	9.6	0	25
Opponents.....	15	323	21.5	2	54

PUNTING	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	TB	FC	I20	Blkd
Woidneck, Greg	54	2057	38.1	56	3	15	17	3
Team	3	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Total.....	57	2057	36.1	56	3	15	17	3
Opponents.....	89	3588	40.3	83	8	10	31	0

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Reed, Desmond	19	81	4.3	0	14
McKnight, Joe	16	124	7.8	0	45
Total.....	35	205	5.9	0	45
Opponents.....	23	157	6.8	0	29

KICK RETURNS	No.	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
Johnson, Ronald	23	586	25.5	0	49
Reed, Desmond	5	96	19.2	0	44
Joseph, Vincent	4	75	18.8	0	27
Gable, C.J.	2	34	17.0	0	19
Dennis, Hershel	1	11	11.0	0	11
Davis, Fred	1	0	0.0	0	0
Smith, Malcolm	0	31	0.0	0	31
Total.....	36	833	23.1	0	49
Opponents.....	60	1202	20.0	1	98

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KOR	IR	Tot	Avg/G
Washington, C.	11	894	47	0	0	0	941	85.5
Davis, Fred	12	0	794	0	0	0	794	66.2
Johnson, Ronald	12	27	95	0	586	0	708	59.0
McKnight, Joe	12	415	158	124	0	0	697	58.1
Johnson, Stafon	10	569	15	0	0	0	584	58.4
Turner, Patrick	11	0	569	0	0	0	569	51.7
Hazelton, Vidal	12	12	535	0	0	0	547	45.6
Havili, Stanley	12	129	185	0	0	0	314	26.2
Reed, Desmond	12	41	73	81	96	0	291	24.2
Ausberry, David	12	0	212	0	0	0	212	17.7
Gable, C.J.	3	143	8	0	34	0	185	61.7
Joseph, Vincent	9	0	0	0	75	0	75	8.3
Dennis, Hershel	10	59	5	0	11	0	75	7.5
Walker, Brad	11	0	55	0	0	0	55	5.0
Thomas, Terrell	12	0	0	0	0	44	44	3.7
Bradford, Allen	11	19	23	0	0	0	42	3.8
Moore, Kyle	12	0	0	0	0	38	38	3.2
Smith, Malcolm	12	0	0	0	31	0	31	2.6
Sanchez, Mark	7	22	0	0	0	0	22	3.1
McCoy, Anthony	12	0	18	0	0	0	18	1.5
Ellison, Kevin	12	0	0	0	0	9	9	0.8
Thompson, Dale	12	0	9	0	0	0	9	0.8
Williams, T.	12	0	0	0	0	5	5	0.4
Total.....	12	2220	2801	205	833	96	6155	512.9
Opponents.....	12	950	2156	157	1202	323	4788	399.0

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1st	2nd	3rd	4th		Total
USC.....	86	121	106	62	-	375
Opponents.....	42	49	31	69	-	191

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rush	Pass	Total	Avg/G
Washington, C.	11	183	894	0	894	81.3
Sanchez, Mark	7	128	22	695	717	102.4
Johnson, Stafon	10	89	569	0	569	56.9
McKnight, Joe	12	84	415	0	415	34.6
Gable, C.J.	3	13	143	0	143	47.7
Havili, Stanley	12	20	129	0	129	10.8
Dennis, Hershel	10	17	59	0	59	5.9
Reed, Desmond	12	9	41	0	41	3.4
Johnson, Ronald	12	4	27	0	27	2.2
Bradford, Allen	11	14	19	0	19	1.7
Hazelton, Vidal	12	1	12	0	12	1.0
Total.....	12	896	2220	2801	5021	418.4
Opponents.....	12	802	950	2156	3106	258.8

		Tackles			-Sacks-	Pass Def			Fumbles		Blkd	
DEFENSIVE LEADERS	GP	Solo	Ast	Total	TFL/Yds	No-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH	Rcv-Yds	FF	Kick	Saf
58 Maualuga, Rey	12	38	37	75	7.5-22	3.0-14	.	3	.	1-0	.	.	.
55 Rivers, Keith	11	41	32	73	4.5-15	.	.	4	1	3-0	1	.	.
0B Mays, Taylor	12	34	28	62	.	.	1-0	6	.	1-0	1	.	.
49 Ellis, Sedrick	12	28	28	56	12.5-75	8.5-67	.	6	1	2-0	.	.	.
96 Jackson, L.	12	27	28	55	14.0-72	9.5-59	.	3	2	1-0	1	.	.
4 Ellison, Kevin	12	35	19	54	6.5-24	2.0-15	2-9	6	.	.	2	.	.
41 Williams, T.	12	32	18	50	3.5-10	.	1-5	5	.	.	2	.	.
28 Thomas, Terrell	12	28	13	41	3.0-24	1.0-15	4-44	7	.	1-0	2	.	.
43 Maiava, Kaluka	12	23	18	41	3.5-12	1.0-5	.	2	1	.	.	.	.
7 Harris, Cary	11	25	13	38	1.0-1	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	.
84 Moore, Kyle	12	15	20	35	3.5-29	2.0-20	2-38	5	.	1-0	1	.	.
75 Moala, Fili	12	14	17	31	5.5-21	2.5-16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
24 Wright, S.	10	22	4	26	3.5-26	1.0-8	.	4	.	.	.	.	.
52 Brown, Luthur	12	11	14	25	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1J Cushing, Brian	9	14	10	24	2.5-4	1.0-2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
93 Griffen, E.	12	15	5	20	5.5-30	5.5-30	.	1	.	1-0	2	.	.
47 Matthews, Clay	12	12	2	14	2.0-14	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.
21 Bradford, Allen	11	8	3	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
99 Spicer, Averell	11	6	2	8	1.0-9	1.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
54 Galippo, Chris	3	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
46 Morgan, Michael	11	3	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
48 Walker, Brad	11	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
39 Rowe, Alfred	9	5	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0F Smith, Malcolm	12	6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
0I McCurtis, M.	9	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
26 Harris, Will	9	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97 Morrow, Alex	12	3	1	4	2.0-9	2.0-9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TM Team	10	3	.	3	3.0-7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
18 Buehler, David	12	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
8 Johnson, Ronald	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
83 Davis, Fred	12	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2I Yoshida, Brent	10	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
81 Washington, G.	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
90 Simmons, Derek	5	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
44 Woidneck, Greg	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
74 Heberer, Zack	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
61 O'Dowd, K.	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
56 Parsons, Alex	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
71 Brown, Charles	8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2B Abbott, Jim	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
2C Joseph, Vincent	9	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
9 Ausberry, David	12	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
1 Turner, Patrick	11	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
16 McDonald, M.	12	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total.....	12	483	328	811	85-405	40-269	10-96	63	6	14-0	15	2	.
Opponents.....	12	551	343	894	78-277	15-121	15-323	32	13	10-11	13	4	.

2007 GAME-BY-GAME STATS

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

(USC game highs in **bold face**)

Name	Idaho	Nebraska	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Arizona	No. Dame	Oregon	Ore. St.	Cal	Ariz. St.	UCLA	Illinois
Rushing: TCB-NET-TD													
C. Washington	--	**12**-43-2	**11**-**84**-1	**21**-106-1	**23**-**75**-1	**17**-54-1	**12**-64-0	**11**-**42**-0	12-**60**-1	**29**-**220**-1	**22**-**80**-0	13-**66**-1	
S. Johnson	**12**-64-2	11-**144**-1	9-48-0	14-**122**-1	--	--	8-47-0	3-9-0	6-37-0	7-9-1	4-16-0	**15**-73-0	
McKnight	6-26-0	1-5-0	7-48-0	--	2-3-0	13-**75**-0	7-**65**-1	10-34-0	**14**-34-0	4-9-0	7-30-0	13-89-1	
Gable	8-**68**-0	4-69-0	1-6-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Havili	1-10-0	2-52-1	1-1-0	--	1-7-0	2-7-0	6-31-0	4-10-0	--	--	1-2-0	2-9-0	
Dennis	--	--	4-14-0	--	7-34-0	--	2-9-0	--	2-2-0	--	--	2-0-0	
Reed	5-36-0	--	--	--	--	2-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	1-5-0	
R. Johnson	1-4-0	--	--	1-9-0	1-8-0	1-6-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Sanchez	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	7-5-0	1-11-0	5-6-0	--	--	--	--	
Bradford	8-15-0	6-4-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Hazelton	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-12-0	--	
Team	--	--	--	1-(-2)-0	--	1-(-1)-0	--	--	--	3-(-5)-0	--	1-(-2)-0	
McDonald	1-(-11)-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Booty	--	1-(-4)-0	1-(-4)-0	1-(-11)-0	4-(-29)-0	--	--	--	2-(-33)-0	5-6-0	2-(-7)-1	2-(-9)-0	
Passing: PA-PC-INT-YDS-TD													
Booty	32-**21**-1 **206**-3	30-**19**-0 **144**-2	36-**29**-1 **289**-4	37-**20**-2 **236**-1	40-**24**-4 **364**-2	--	--	--	33-**19**-0 **157**-2	20-**11**-0 **129**-1	39-**26**-0 **375**-4	36-**21**-1 **206**-1	
Sanchez	--	--	3-2-1 23-0	--	--	31-**19**-2 **130**-1	38-**21**-0 **235**-4	41-**26**-2 **277**-2	1-1-0 30-0	--	--	--	
McDonald	2-1-1 0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Team	--	--	--	--	1-0-0 0-0	--	--	1-0-0 0-0	--	--	--	--	
Reed	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0 0-0	--	
Receiving: NO-YDS-TD													
Davis	2-**49**-0	**3**-**38**-0	**9**-**124**-2	4-72-0	5-**152**-1	**6**-**63**-1	**5**-40-1	1-11-0	**5**-31-0	**4**-**54**-0	**5**-**119**-1	**6**-41-1	
Hazelton	4-44-1	1-2-0	6-47-1	1-6-0	4-58-0	3-24-0	3-**80**-1	**8**-88-0	**5**-**53**-0	**4**-50-0	**5**-36-1	5-47-0	
Turner	--	**3**-24-0	7-74-0	**6**-**87**-1	**9**-83-0	3-21-0	4-42-0	7-**107**-1	1-13-0	1-13-0	**5**-70-0	2-35-0	
Havili	**5**-22-1	**3**-22-1	2-16-0	1-0-0	2-11-0	3-4-0	3-18-1	3-10-0	1-0-0	1-5-1	2-11-1	4-**66**-0	
Ausberry	**5**-46-0	**3**-35-0	2-11-0	3-20-0	--	1-11-0	3-28-0	1-14-1	1-8-0	--	2-24-0	3-15-0	
McKnight	1-8-0	1-0-0	--	--	--	2-4-0	--	4-30-0	3-38-0	1-7-0	**5**-71-1	--	
Reed	--	--	--	4-46-0	3-13-0	--	1-14-0	--	--	--	--	--	
Walker	2-22-0	2-23-0	--	--	--	--	--	1-8-0	--	--	--	1-2-0	
R. Johnson	--	1-4-0	2-11-0	--	1-47-1	--	--	--	--	--	1-33-0	--	
C. Washington	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-5-0	--	2-31-1	--	1-11-0	--	
S. Johnson	1-7-0	1-(-6)-0	--	1-5-0	--	--	--	1-9-0	--	--	--	--	
Bradford	--	--	1-4-1	--	--	--	1-8-1	--	1-11-0	--	--	--	
McCoy	--	1-2-1	1-16-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Dennis	--	--	--	--	--	1-3-0	--	--	1-2-0	--	--	--	
Thompson	--	--	1-9-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Gable	1-8-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Patterson	1-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Punting: NO-YDS-LONG													
Woidneck	2-86-51	4-164-50	--	4-153-43	4-163-56	7-256-50	6-22-42	5-182-54	7-255-46	6-204-38	2-104-54	7-266-43	
Team	--	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	1-0-0	--	
Punt Returns: NO-YDS-LONG													
Reed	4-30-14	1-(-2)-(-2)	2-15-14	1-2-2	4-20-11	1-4-4	2-3-3	--	1-5-5	1-0-0	--	2-4-2	
McKnight	--	--	1-11-11	--	1-4-4	2-49-45	5-31-20	--	4-22-10	--	1-7-7	2-0-2	
Kickoff Returns: NO-YDS-LONG													
R. Johnson	--	--	--	3-65-31	3-61-26	3-73-33	1-37-37	4-96-32	1-41-41	4-102-41	3-94-49	1-17-17	
Reed	--	--	2-59-44	1-12-12	1-7-7	1-18-18	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Joseph	2-41-27	2-34-18	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Gable	--	1-19-19	1-15-15	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Dennis	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-11-11	
Davis	--	1-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
M. Smith	--	0-31-31	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Interceptions: NO-YDS-TD													
T. Thomas	--	1-19-19	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-25-0	1-0-0	--	1-0-0	
Moore	--	1-24-0	1-14-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
K. Ellison	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-9-0	--	--	1-0-0	--	--	
T. Williams	--	--	--	1-5-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Mays	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	

Name	Idaho	Nebraska	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Arizona	No. Dame	Oregon	Ore. St.	Cal	Ariz. St.	UCLA	Illinois
Defensive Statistics: TAC-FOR LOSS-PASS DEF-FUM REC													
Maualuga	4-0-0-0	6-1.5-0-0	6-0-0-0	**10**-1-0-0	**10**-1-0-0	4-0-0-0	3-2-0-0	11-1-0-1	5-1-1-0	5-0-1-0	3-0-0-0	**8**-0-1-0	
Rivers	**6**-0-1-0	**10**-0-1-0	**14**-2.5-0-0	4-0-1-0	6-0-1-0	6-1-0-1	1-0-0-1	**12**-0-0-0	**7**-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	--	3-1-0-1	
Mays	5-0-0-0	6-0-1-0	3-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-2-0	4-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	**12**-0-0-0	6-0-0-0	**10**-0-3-0	4-0-0-0	3-0-0-1	
Ellis	4-1-2-0	5-1-2-0	1-0.5-0-0	4-0-0-0	6-3-0-0	2-0-1-1	5-1.5-0-0	**12**-2-0-0	3-1.5-1-0	6-0-0-0	4-2-0-0	4-0-0-1	
Jackson	3-0-1-0	6-1.5-0-0	2-2-0-0	6-1.5-0-0	4-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	11-1-0-0	3-1.5-1-0	5-0-0-1	8-5.5-0-0	3-1-1-0	
K. Ellison	3-0-1-0	3-1-1-0	3-0-0-0	2-0-1-0	5-0-0-0	**9**-0-0-0	5-1.5-2-0	5-2-0-0	4-2-0-0	8-0-0-0	3-0-1-0	4-0-0-0	
T. Williams	3-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	5-0-1-0	6-0.5-0-0	6-0-0-0	6-1-1-0	1-0-0-0	4-0-1-0	1-1-1-0	5-1-0-0	6-0-0-0	5-0-1-0	
Maiava	--	7-1-1-0	2-0-1-0	2-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	5-0-0-0	--	--	4-0-0-0	**10**-0.5-0-0	4-2-0-0	
T. Thomas	4-0.5-0-0	3-0-0-0	4-0-1-0	4-0-0-1	3-0-3-0	6-0-1-0	0-0-1-0	2-0-0-0	3-0-1-0	5-1.5-0-0	3-0-0-0	4-1-0-0	
C. Harris	2-0-0-0	7-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	5-0-3-0	6-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	4-0-0-0	3-0-1-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-1-0	4-0-1-0	
Moore	4-1-1-1	2-0-0-0	2-0-1-0	4-1-0-0	6-0-0-0	1-0-2-0	**6**-0.5-1-0	1-0-0-0	4-0.5-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-0.5-0-0	
Moala	2-0-0-0	5-1-0-0	--	3-1-0-0	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	5-1-0-0	6-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	2-1-0-0	2-1.5-0-0	
Wright	4-2-0-0	2-0-0-0	1-0-1-0	3-0-0-0	--	--	4-0.5-0-0	--	4-0-2-0	2-0-0-0	4-0-1-0	2-1-0-0	
L. Brown	4-0.5-0-0	2-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	--	--	6-0-0-0	**6**-0-0-0	--	--	3-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	
Cushing	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	2-0-0-0	8-0-0-0	5-1-0-0	4-1.5-1-0	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	
Griffen	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-1-0-0	1-0-1-0	2-0-0-0	6-3.5-0-0	1-0-0-0	6-1-0-1	--	
Matthews	4-0-2*-0	--	3-1-0-0	--	--	4-0-0-0	1-0-1*-0	1-0-0-0	--	1-1-0-0	--	--	
Bradford	1-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	
Morgan	2-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	
Spicer	1-1-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	3-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	
Galippo	2-0-0-0	4-0-0-0	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Rowe	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	2-0-0-0	3-0-0-0	--	--	--	
Walker	--	2-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	1-0-0-1	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	
M. Smith	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	
McCurtis	3-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	0-0-1-0	--	--	--	--	--	
W. Harris	--	1-0-0-0	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	2-0-0-0	--	
Morrow	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	3-2-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	
Buehler	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	
Team	1-1-0-0	--	--	--	--	1-1-0-0	--	--	1-1-0-0	--	--	--	
Davis	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Yoshida	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	
R. Johnson	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	
Joseph	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	0-0-0-1	--	--	--	--	--	
Parsons	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Ausberry	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
O'Dowd	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Abbott	--	--	0-0-1-0	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	
McDonald	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
C. Brown	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Heberer	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
G. Washington	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Turner	--	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Simmons	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Woidneck	--	--	--	--	1-0-0-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Spanos	--	--	--	--	--	0-0-0-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Jones	--	--	0-0-1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	

*Includes 1 blocked field goal

USC TEAM STATISTICS

	Idaho	Nebraska	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Arizona	No. Dame	Oregon	Ore. St.	Cal	Ariz. St.	UCLA	Illinois
First Downs	24	22	28	20	19	19	24	18	16	19	25	26	
Rush	14	14	11	8	7	9	11	6	8	11	7	15	
Pass	8	8	16	11	12	8	12	12	8	7	18	9	
Penalty	2	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	2	
Rush Attempts	43	38	34	39	39	43	36	33	36	48	37	49	
Yds Gain	234	326	205	243	129	189	230	116	150	257	143	268	
Yds Lost	20	13	8	19	34	43	3	15	50	18	10	37	
Net Yards	214	313	197	224	95	146	227	101	100	239	133	231	
Net Yds Pass	206	144	312	236	364	130	235	277	187	129	375	206	
Pass Att	34	30	39	37	41	31	38	42	34	20	40	36	
Pass Com	22	19	31	20	24	19	21	26	20	11	26	21	
Had Int	2	0	2	2	4	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	
Tot Off Plays	77	68	73	76	79	74	74	75	70	68	77	85	
Tot Net Yards	420	457	509	460	459	276	462	378	287	368	508	437	
Avg/Play	5.5	6.7	7.0	6.1	5.8	3.7	6.2	5.0	4.1	5.4	6.6	5.1	
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	5-1	0-0	1-1	1-1	1-0	2-1	1-1	1-1	4-2	1-0	2-1	
Penalties-Yds	3-25	10-102	8-61	16-161	8-80	5-35	8-52	6-80	4-41	8-40	10-74	9-86	
Punts-Yds	2-86	4-164	0-0	5-153	4-163	7-256	7-222	5-182	7-255	6-204	3-104	7-268	
Avg/Punt	43.0	41.0	0.0	30.6	40.8	36.6	31.7	36.4	36.4	34.0	34.7	38.3	
Punt Ret-Yds	4-30	1-(-2)	3-26	1-2	5-24	3-53	7-34	0-0	5-27	1-0	1-7	4-4	
KO Ret-Yds	2-41	3-84	3-74	4-77	4-68	4-91	1-37	4-96	1-41	4-102	3-94	2-28	
Int-Yards	0-0	2-43	1-14	1-5	1-0	0-0	1-9	0-0	1-25	2-0	0-0	1-0	
Fum Ret-Yds	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Poss Time	32:34	29:02	33:02	34:51	32:08	33:06	30:15	30:59	29:36	30:19	30:46	37:50	
3rd Down Con	8-17	5-10	8-11	7-16	7-19	7-17	5-14	8-18	5-16	7-14	8-16	5-16	
4th Down Con	2-3	1-1	1-1	0-0	1-3	1-1	0-1	2-3	1-1	0-0	1-2	0-1	
Sacks By-Yds	2-21	2-19	2-16	1-6	4-22	1-5	7-40	1-3	9-51	1-15	6-40	4-31	

Game-By-Game Starters

	Idaho	Nebraska	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Arizona	No. Dame	Oregon	Ore. St.	Cal	Ariz. St.	UCLA	Illinois
Offense													
SE	Ausberry	Ausberry	Ausberry	Turner	Ausberry	Turner	Turner	Turner	Turner	Turner	Turner	Ausberry	
LT	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Baker	Lewis	Baker	Lewis	Lewis	Baker	Baker	
LG	Byers	Byers	Malu	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	Byers	
C	O'Dowd	O'Dowd	Byers	O'Dowd	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	Spanos	
RG	Rachal	Rachal	Rachal	Rachal	Heberer	Heberer	Malu	Rachal	Rachal	Rachal	Rachal	Rachal	
RT	C. Brown	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	Radovich	
TE	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	Davis	
QB	Booty	Booty	Booty	Booty	Booty	Sanchez	Sanchez	Sanchez	Booty	Booty	Booty	Booty	
FB	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	Havili	
TB	Gable	Gable	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	C. Wash'n	
FL	Hazelton	Turner	Turner	R. J'nson	Turner	Hazelton	Hazelton	Hazelton	Hazelton	Hazelton	Hazelton	Hazelton	
Defense													
DE	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	Jackson	
NT	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	Ellis	
DT	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	Moala	
DE	Griffen	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Moore	Griffen	Moore	
SLB	Cushing	Matthews	Matthews	T. Will'ms	T. Will'ms	T. Will'ms	Cushing	Cushing	Cushing	Cushing	Cushing	Cushing	
MLB	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	T. Will'ms	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	Maualuga	
WLB	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Rivers	Maiava	Rivers	
CB	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	Wright	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	C. Harris	
SS	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	K. Ellison	
FS	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	Mays	
CB	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	T. Thomas	

OPPONENT TEAM STATISTICS

	Idaho	Nebraska	Wash. St.	Wash.	Stanford	Arizona	No. Dame	Oregon	Ore. St.	Cal	Ariz. St.	UCLA	Illinois
First Downs	14	28	15	15	16	13	10	22	12	25	16	10	
Rush	5	3	4	5	5	1	3	11	8	14	5	3	
Pass	9	19	10	5	8	11	6	9	2	9	10	6	
Penalty	0	6	1	5	3	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	
Rush Attempts	32	28	27	33	39	16	30	47	37	45	35	25	
Yds Gain	138	67	99	120	110	32	93	194	152	226	66	64	
Yds Lost	40	36	35	20	24	10	45	12	61	26	50	52	
Net Yards	98	31	64	100	86	22	48	182	91	200	16	12	
Net Yds Pass	155	389	183	90	149	233	117	157	85	199	243	156	
Pass Att	35	54	43	28	30	43	33	25	28	29	31	29	
Pass Com	16	36	21	13	11	30	17	16	11	13	22	13	
Had Int	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	
Tot Off Plays	67	82	70	61	69	59	63	72	65	74	66	54	
Tot Net Yards	253	420	247	190	235	255	165	339	176	399	259	168	
Avg/Play	3.8	5.1	3.5	3.1	3.4	4.3	2.6	4.7	2.7	5.4	3.9	3.1	
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0	1-0	3-1	0-0	5-3	2-2	2-2	3-0	2-1	2-1	3-3	
Penalties-Yds	6-55	6-45	5-35	9-64	7-65	8-55	2-20	1-5	4-22	6-50	3-20	10-86	
Punts-Yds	8-344	6-226	6-232	7-262	8-343	7-336	10-450	5-182	9-354	7-248	5-163	11-448	
Avg/Punt	43.0	37.7	38.7	37.4	42.9	48.0	45.0	36.4	39.3	35.4	32.6	40.7	
Punt Ret-Yds	2-13	2-4	0-0	2-27	2-47	2-3	3-13	4-20	2-2	1-0	2-13	1-15	
KO Ret-Yds	3-49	9-196	9-178	5-112	3-49	4-64	5-92	4-73	5-91	5-95	5-166	3-37	
Int-Yards	2-31	0-0	2-30	2-59	4-67	2-44	0-0	2-61	0-0	0-0	0-0	1-31	
Fum Ret-Yds	0-0	1-11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Poss Time	27:26	30:58	26:58	25:09	27:52	26:54	29:45	29:01	30:24	29:41	29:14	22:10	
3rd Down Con	4-17	8-17	8-18	4-13	5-17	3-14	4-17	9-16	3-17	4-13	6-16	0-11	
4th Down Con	2-2	0-0	1-2	0-1	2-2	0-1	0-1	0-1	1-3	0-0	1-2	0-0	
Sacks By-Yds	1-11	0-0	1-4	1-10	4-29	3-14	0-0	1-6	2-33	0-0	1-8	1-6	

PETE CARROLL
USC HEAD FOOTBALL COACH

Energetic and charismatic seventh-year USC head football coach Pete Carroll quickly returned the Trojan football program to national prominence.

He is 75-14 (84.3%) in 7 years (2001-2007) as a college head coach (all at USC), the best winning percentage of any current Division I coach with at least 5 years of experience. He reached 50 career USC wins faster than any head coach in Trojan history. His losses have been by a total of 59 points (4.2 average) and only 1 was by more than a touchdown (it was by 11 points). After starting off his Trojan career 2-5, he has gone 73-9 (89.0%) with a pair of national championships (2003-04). He is 49-9 in Pac-10 games, giving him an 84.5% winning mark (a league record). His teams have been ranked in the AP Top 25 for the past 78 games, a school record. He is 23-0 in November. He has 27 victories over AP Top 25 teams (27-7 overall, 79.4%). His teams have won an unprecedented 6 consecutive Pac-10 titles and appeared in a record 6 consecutive BCS bowls (including a pair of BCS Championship Games). His teams have recorded at least 11 victories in each of the past 5 seasons (only Nebraska 1993-97, Florida State 1996-2000 and Oklahoma 2000-04 have ever done that; no school has done it 6 straight years) and finished ranked in the AP Top 4 in each of those seasons. USC's 13 (2004), 25 (2003-04 and 2004-05), 37 (2003-05), 48 (2002-05 and 2003-06) and 59 (2002-05 and 2003-06) wins over the previous 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 years represent the winningest periods in Trojan history.

Under Carroll, USC is riding winning streaks in 23 November games, 14 September games, 11 non-conference home games and 8 non-conference road games (not including 4 neutral site contests). His USC teams also had a number of other since-broken winning streaks: a Pac-10 record 35 consecutive home games, Pac-10-record 34 overall games, a Pac-10-record 27 Pac-10 games, a Pac-10 record 24 consecutive league home games, a school-record 18 road games (not including 4 neutral site contests), 18 October games, 16 non-conference games, 16 games against AP Top 25 teams and a school-record 13 Pac-10 road games. His Trojans also set a no-longer-active NCAA record by scoring at least 20 points in 63 consecutive games. USC was AP's No. 1 team for a national-record 33 straight polls (including 2 pre-season polls) and was ranked in the AP Top 10 for a school-record 63 consecutive games. He has gone 12-2 against traditional rivals Notre Dame and UCLA.

Also under Carroll, USC is the first school to have 3 Heisman Trophy winners in a 4-year span. Carroll has produced 30 All-American first teamers and 32 NFL draft picks (including 7 first rounders, with a No. 1 selection in Carson Palmer and a No. 2 in Reggie Bush). His last 5 recruiting classes have been ranked in the Top 5 nationally (including first each year by some experts). He also served as USC's defensive coordinator in his first 5 seasons at Troy.

In an injury-riddled 2007 season, USC is 10-2 and ranked sixth in the polls (it held the AP No. 1 ranking for the season's first 4 games), went 7-2 in the Pac-10 to share an unprecedented sixth consecutive league crown and advanced to a third straight Rose Bowl (and record sixth BCS bowl in a row), its fourth trip to Pasadena in 5 years. Troy swept traditional rivals UCLA (giving Carroll his 75th Trojan victory) and, for the sixth straight year, Notre Dame. USC's defense is in the top 7 nationally in total, rushing, scoring and pass efficiency defense. Troy is on the verge of breaking the school record for overall attendance and overall average attendance in 2007. Five Trojans—offensive tackle Sam Baker, defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis, tight end Fred Davis, linebacker Keith Rivers and safety Taylor Mays—were named All-American first teamers (Baker became USC's third-ever 3-time All-American, while Ellis was an All-American for the second year in a row and was named the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year and Davis won the 2007 Mackey Award as the nation's top tight end).

In 2006 in what was considered a rebuilding year after losing a pair of Heisman winners and 11 NFL draftees from 2005, USC went 11-2, finished No. 4 in the final polls and shared the Pac-10 title at 7-2 to capture an unprecedented fifth straight league crown. Troy did this despite starting just 4 seniors, playing 15 first-year freshmen and facing what was the nation's second toughest schedule according to the Sagarin rating (USC played 9 bowl teams). The Trojans beat Michigan in the Rose Bowl and came within a regular season-ending 4-point loss at UCLA to advancing to a third consecutive BCS Championship Game. USC was ranked in the AP Top 10 all season and beat rival Notre Dame for the fifth year in a row. The Trojans were in the national Top 25 statistically in scoring, total and passing offense, as well as rushing, pass efficiency, total and scoring defense. USC broke its Pac-10 record home average attendance record for the fourth consecutive year and its Pac-10 record home total attendance record for the second straight season, plus it set the school record for the third straight year for home sellouts (6), regular season sellouts (10) and season sellouts (11). Five Trojans—wide receivers Dwayne Jarrett and Steve Smith, offensive tackle Sam Baker, center Ryan Kalil and defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis—were All-American first teamers (Jarrett and Baker for the second year in a row). Carroll was named the **2006 Pac-10 Coach of the Year** (for the third time) and was **1 of 15 semifinalists for the 2006 George Munger Coach of the Year Award**.

In 2005, his Trojans held AP's No. 1 ranking for the entire regular season. USC went 12-1 overall (while facing 6 AP Top 25 teams) to advance to the BCS Championship Game in the Rose Bowl, where it barely fell to Texas, and 8-0 in the Pac-10 to win its fourth straight league title. The Trojans, who finished second in both polls, played the nation's ninth most difficult schedule according to the NCAA. USC swept rivals Notre Dame and UCLA for an unprecedented fourth season in a row. Troy's offense was in the national Top 6 in every offensive category, including tops in total offense (579.8) and second in scoring offense (49.1), and set Pac-10 records for total offense yardage, points scored, touchdowns and PATs. The Trojans won games by an average of 26.2 points. USC became the first school to have a 3,000-yard passer, a pair of 1,000-yard runners and a 1,000-yard receiver in a season. And USC was second nationally in turnover margin (+1.6). For the third consecutive year, USC set Pac-10 records for total home attendance and home attendance average and school marks for overall attendance and overall attendance average. The Trojans also set school standards for the second straight year for home sellouts (4), regular season sellouts (9) and season sellouts (10). For the second consecutive year, a school-record 6 Trojans were All-American first teamers, including Heisman Trophy-winning tailback Reggie Bush. Carroll was the **2005 Playboy Pre-Season All-American team Coach of the Year** and was named by **The Sporting News as the top coach in the nation**. He received the **United States Sports Academy Amos Alonzo Stagg Coaching Award**. He was the **2005 Pac-10 Co-Coach of the Year**, as well as the **American Football Coaches Association Division I-A Region 5 Coach of the Year**. He was **1 of 5 finalists for the 2005 Bear Bryant Coach of the Year Award, 1 of 6 finalists for the Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year Award and 1 of 12 semifinalists for the George Munger Coach of the Year Award**.

In 2004, he guided No. 1-ranked USC to its second consecutive national championship with a convincing win over Oklahoma in the BCS Championship Game in the Orange Bowl. USC became only the second team ever to hold its AP pre-season No. 1 ranking all the way through a season. It was only the 10th time that a team won back-to-back AP crowns. His team was 13-0 (a school record for wins) and went 8-0 in the Pac-10. He also led the Trojans to their third consecutive Pac-10 title and their third straight season sweep of traditional rivals UCLA and Notre Dame (a first at Troy). Troy was in the national Top 10 in every defensive statistical category (its total defense average was USC's lowest in 15 years), including first in rushing defense (for the second year in a row) and turnover margin and third in scoring defense. USC outscored opponents by 25.2 points (including a school-record 8 games with a margin of at least 30 points). USC played before 3 home sellouts, 7 regular-season sellouts and 8 season sellouts, all school marks. And Troy set a USC and Pac-10 record for home attendance average, as well as school records for total home attendance, overall attendance average and total overall attendance. A school-record 6 Trojans (Heisman Trophy quarterback Matt Leinart, tailback Reggie Bush, defensive linemen Shaun Cody and Mike Patterson, and linebackers Matt Grootegoed and Lofa Tatupu) were named All-American first teamers. Carroll was the **2004 National Quarterback Club College Coach of the Year and a finalist for the 2004 Bear Bryant Coach of the Year Award, the Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year Award and the ESPY Best Coach of the Year Award and a semifinalist for the George Munger Coach of the Year Award**. He was the **2004 ESPN.com Pac-10 Coach of the Year**.

The 2003 season–his third at Troy–was one of the best in USC history. The Trojans won the AP national championship (USC's first national crown since 1978) and entered the Rose Bowl also ranked No. 1 in the USA Today/ESPN poll but weren't allowed to keep the top spot after winning that bowl because of a contractual agreement which required the coaches to vote the Sugar Bowl winner as their poll's champion (USC ended up second). USC was 12-1 overall (the only loss was by 3 points at California in triple overtime) and, at 7-1 in the Pac-10. Troy won its second consecutive league title for the first time since 1988-89 (and its first outright crown since 1989). His Trojans won their last 9 games and posted back-to-back seasons of double digit wins for the first time since 1978 and 1979. For just the second time in history (the other time also was 1978 and 1979), USC swept traditional rivals UCLA and Notre Dame in consecutive years. His 2003 squad featured a potent offense, a stingy defense and productive special teams. USC had a stretch of 11 consecutive 30-point games (also a school mark) and 7 straight 40-point contests (a Pac-10 record). USC's 534 points was a Pac-10 record. The defense led the nation in rushing defense and was second in turnover margin, forced 42 turnovers and scored 8 touchdowns. And the Trojans topped the nation in net punting. Five Trojans–wide receiver Mike Williams, offensive tackle Jacob Rogers, defensive end Kenechi Udeze, punter Tom Malone and quarterback Matt Leinart–were first team All-Americans (Leinart and Williams finished sixth and eighth, respectively, in the Heisman Trophy voting).

For all this, Carroll was named the **2003 American Football Coaches Association Division I-A Coach of the Year, Home Depot National Coach of the Year, Maxwell Club College Coach of the Year, ESPN.com National Coach of the Year, Pigskin Club of Washington D.C. Coach of the Year and All-American Football Foundation Frank Leahy Co-Coach of the Year**. He also was the **Pac-10 Co-Coach of the Year** (USC's first honoree since Larry Smith in 1988), **a finalist for the Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year, 1 of 6 semifinalists for the Eddie Robinson/Football Writers Association of America Coach of the Year and American Football Coaches Association Division I-A Region 5 Coach of the Year**. In early 2004, he received the **Chuck Benedict Founders Award (for special achievement) from the Southern California Sports Broadcasters Association, the Orange County Youth Sports Foundation Sportsman of the Year Award, the Spirit of Los Angeles Award from the Los Angeles Headquarters Association and the Vincent T. Lombardi Hall of Fame Award from the Boy Scouts of America San Gabriel Valley Council**.

In 2002, just his second season at USC, his Trojans thrived despite playing what was ranked by the NCAA, Sagarin and the BCS as the nation's most difficult schedule (facing 9 AP-ranked teams and 11 bowl squads). USC—which beat Iowa in the Orange Bowl—posted an 11-2 overall record and a No. 4 ranking in the final polls, and won the Pac-10 championship while going 7-1. The Trojans also won their last 9 home games. It was USC's first 11-win season since 1979 and its highest ranking since 1988. Troy won its final 8 games (scoring at least 30 points in each), including blowouts of traditional rivals UCLA and Notre Dame (the first time USC beat both in the same season since 1981 and the first time in back-to-back games since 1978). USC led the Pac-10 in total offense (449.3) and total defense (284.9), as well as scoring offense (35.8) and scoring defense (18.5), and was in the NCAA's Top 25 in nearly every team statistical category on both sides of the ball. Heisman Trophy-winning quarterback Carson Palmer and safety Troy Polamalu were first team All-Americans. Carroll was **1 of 8 finalists for the 2002 Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Award** and was **1 of 4 runners-up for the 2002 American Football Monthly Schutt Sports Division I-A Coach of the Year Award**.

Carroll brought big doses of experience, enthusiasm and leadership in his quest to revive the USC football program when he was named the Trojans' head football coach on Dec. 15, 2000 (he signed a 5-year contract). After USC started off his opening 2001 season slowly at 1-4, Carroll stayed the course and got his troops to rally by winning 5 of their last 7 games (including the final 4 regular season contests) to finish at 6-6 overall. USC, which won its last 5 Pac-10 games after beginning league play at 0-3, placed fifth in the conference at 5-3 and earned a berth into the Sega Sports Las Vegas Bowl. Putting an exclamation point on the regular season was a 27-0 blanking of No. 20 UCLA, USC's first shutout in the crosstown rivalry since 1947 and the series' biggest margin of victory since 1979.

The 56-year-old Carroll has 33 years of NFL and college experience, including 15 on the college level.

He was the head coach of the NFL's New England Patriots for 3 seasons (1997-99) and New York Jets for 1 year (1994). He guided the Patriots into the playoffs in his first 2 seasons, winning the AFC Eastern Division title at 10-6 in 1997 and advancing to the second round of the playoffs, then posting a 9-7 regular season mark in 1998. His overall record in New England was 27-21 in the regular season (including 8-8 in 1999) and 1-2 in the playoffs. He owns the franchise's second-best winning percentage (54.9%).

After serving as the Jets' defensive coordinator for 4 seasons (1990-93), he became the team's head coach the following season. His 1994 Jets went 6-10. Only 3 other Jets head coaches won more games in their rookie campaign.

He spent the next 2 years (1995-96) as the defensive coordinator with the San Francisco 49ers, who won the NFC Western Division title both seasons. The 49ers were 11-5 in the 1995 regular season when they had the NFL's top-ranked defense and then went 12-4 in 1996.

Carroll began his coaching career at the college level, serving as a graduate assistant at his alma mater, Pacific, for 3 years (1974-76), working with the wide receivers and secondary. He then spent a season as a graduate assistant working with the secondary at Arkansas (1977) under Lou Holtz as the Razorbacks won the 1978 Orange Bowl, and then a season each as an assistant in charge of the secondary at Iowa State (1978) under Earle Bruce (the Cyclones played in the 1978 Hall of Fame Bowl) and at Ohio State (1979) under Bruce. That Buckeye squad lost to USC in the 1980 Rose Bowl. He next spent 3 seasons (1980-82) as the defensive coordinator and secondary coach at North Carolina State, then returned to Pacific in 1983 as the assistant head coach and offensive coordinator.

He entered the NFL in 1984 as the defensive backs coach of the Buffalo Bills, then held a similar position with the Minnesota Vikings for 5 seasons (1985-89). The Vikings advanced to the playoffs his last 3 years there, getting to the NFC Championship game in 1987. The 1988 team was 11-5 in the regular season and the 1989 squad won the NFC Central Division crown with a 10-6 mark. His secondary averaged 25 interceptions a season and led the NFL in passing defense in 1989.

Carroll spent the 2000 season as a consultant for pro and college teams, doing charitable work for the NFL and writing a column about pro football for CNNSI.com.

Carroll was a 2-time (1971-72) All-Pacific Coast Conference free safety at Pacific and earned his bachelor's degree in 1973 in business administration. He received his secondary teaching credential and a master's degree in physical education from Pacific in 1976. He was inducted into the Pacific Athletic Hall of Fame in 1995.

After he graduated from Pacific, he spent a year trying out for the World Football League and selling roofing materials in the Bay Area.

He was a 3-sport (football, basketball and baseball) standout at Redwood High in Larkspur, Calif., earning the school's Athlete of the Year award as a senior. He played quarterback, wide receiver and defensive back. He then played football at Marin Junior College in Kentfield, Calif., in 1970 (he also was on the team in 1969, but did not letter).

He was born on Sept. 15, 1951 in San Francisco. He and his wife, Glena, who played volleyball at Pacific, have 3 children: sons Brennan, 27, who played tight end at Pittsburgh (he previously played at Delaware) and is now an assistant at USC, and Nate, 18, a freshman at USC, and daughter Jaime, 23, who played on the Women of Troy's highly-ranked volleyball team which competed in the 2000 NCAA Final Four.

In 2003, he helped develop "A Better L.A.," a non-profit group consisting of a consortium of local agencies and organizations working to reduce gang violence by empowering change in individuals and communities. He received the **Courageous Leadership Award from Women Against Gun Violence in 2005**, as well as being named a **Cedars-Sinai Sports Spectacular Honoree**.

TOP ACTIVE COACHES BY WINNING PERCENTAGE
(Minimum 5 years as Division IA head coach; Record at 4-year colleges only)

		Yrs	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct
1.	**Pete Carroll, USC**	**7**	**75**	**14**	**0**	**.843**
2.	Urban Meyer, Florida	7	70	15	0	.824
3.	Bob Stoops, Oklahoma	9	97	21	0	.822
4.	Mark Richt, Georgia	7	71	19	0	.789
5.	Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	16	146	45	0	.764
6.	Bobby Bowden, Florida State	42	373	118	4	.758
7.	Lloyd Carr, Michigan	13	121	40	0	.752
8.	Joe Paterno, Penn State	42	371	125	3	.746
9.	Steve Spurrier, South Carolina	18	163	56	2	.742
10.	Jim Tressel, Ohio State	22	208	72	2	.741

YEAR-BY-YEAR WITH PETE CARROLL

YEAR	TEAM	POSITION	RECORD (POST-SEASON)	HEAD COACH
1974	Pacific	Graduate assistant/wide receivers	6-5	Chester Caddas
1975	Pacific	Graduate assistant/secondary	5-6-1	Chester Caddas
1976	Pacific	Graduate assistant/secondary	2-9	Chester Caddas
1977	Arkansas	Graduate assistant/secondary	11-1 (Orange)	Lou Holtz
1978	Iowa State	Secondary coach	8-4 (Hall of Fame)	Earle Bruce
1979	Ohio State	Secondary coach	11-1 (Rose)	Earle Bruce
1980	North Carolina State	Defensive coordinator/secondary coach	6-5	Monte Kiffin
1981	North Carolina State	Defensive coordinator/secondary coach	4-7	Monte Kiffin
1982	North Carolina State	Defensive coordinator/secondary coach	6-5	Monte Kiffin
1983	Pacific	Asst. head coach/offensive coordinator	3-9	Bob Cope
1984	Buffalo Bills	Defensive backs coach	2-14	Kay Stephenson
1985	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive backs coach	7-9	Bud Grant
1986	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive backs coach	9-7	Jerry Burns
1987	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive backs coach	8-7* (2-1)	Jerry Burns
1988	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive backs coach	11-5* (1-1)	Jerry Burns
1989	Minnesota Vikings	Defensive backs coach	10-6** (0-1)	Jerry Burns
1990	New York Jets	Defensive coordinator	6-10	Bruce Coslet
1991	New York Jets	Defensive coordinator	8-8* (0-1)	Bruce Coslet
1992	New York Jets	Defensive coordinator	4-12	Bruce Coslet
1993	New York Jets	Defensive coordinator	8-8	Bruce Coslet
1994	New York Jets	Head coach	6-10	–
1995	San Francisco 49ers	Defensive coordinator	11-5** (0-1)	George Seifert
1996	San Francisco 49ers	Defensive coordinator	12-4** (1-1)	George Seifert
1997	New England Patriots	Head coach	10-6** (1-1)	–
1998	New England Patriots	Head coach	9-7* (0-1)	–
1999	New England Patriots	Head coach	8-8	–
2001	USC	Head coach	6-6 (Las Vegas)	–
2002	USC	Head coach	11-2 (Orange)	–
2003	USC	Head coach	12-1# (Rose)	–
2004	USC	Head coach	13-0# (Orange)	–
2005	USC	Head coach	12-0 (Rose)	–
2006	USC	Head coach	11-2 (Rose)	–
2007	USC	Head coach	10-2 (Rose)	–
	USC CAREER		75-14 (84.3%)	

*Advanced to playoffs **Division champions and advanced to playoffs #Won national championship

USC ASSISTANT COACHES

BRENNAN CARROLL
Tight Ends
Recruiting Coordinator

Brennan Carroll, the oldest son of USC head coach Pete Carroll, is in his sixth year on the USC staff, including his fourth as a full-time assistant. He is in charge of the tight ends. He took on the additional duty of recruiting coordinator beginning in 2007.

In 2007, tight end Fred Davis won the Mackey Award and made All-American first team first team. Tight end Dominique Byrd was a third round NFL draft pick following the 2005 season.

He joined the USC staff in August of 2002 as a graduate assistant. He spent 2002 working with the offense and special teams, then handled the tight ends in 2003.

USC played in the 2003 Orange Bowl, 2004 Rose Bowl, 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl. In 2003 and 2004, the Trojans won national championships.

Carroll, 28, was a reserve tight end and key special teams player at Pittsburgh the previous 3 years (1999-2001). He caught 3 passes for 25 yards (8.3 average) as a 2000 junior, including 1 for a touchdown (a 3-yarder versus Boston College). He added a 12-yard reception as a senior in 2001. The Panthers played in the 2000 Insight.com Bowl and the 2001 Tangerine Bowl. He redshirted the 1998 season.

He spent his 1997 freshman season at Delaware, but did not see action as a reserve tight end.

He prepped at Saratoga (Calif.) High, where he starred as a linebacker in football and also played basketball.

He earned his bachelor's degree in social sciences from Pittsburgh in 2001.

Born March 20, 1979, he is married and his wife's name is Amber (she played volleyball at North Carolina, in Europe and on the AVP beach tour under her maiden name, Amber Willey).

His father, Pete, has been USC's head coach since 2001 and has 33 years coaching experience in college and the NFL (he was the head coach of the New England Patriots and New York Jets). His mother, Glena, played volleyball at Pacific. His sister, Jaime, was on the USC women's volleyball team in 2000 and 2001 (the 2000 Women of Troy advanced to the NCAA Final Four). His brother, Nate, is a sophomore at USC. His late grandfather, Dean Goranson, received his master's degree from USC.

NICK HOLT
Defensive Coordinator
Defensive Line

Nick Holt, who was the head coach at Idaho for 2 recent seasons and previously was an assistant at USC, returned to the Trojan program in February of 2006 as the defensive coordinator and defensive line coach. Combined, he is in his fifth year at USC.

Defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis was an All-American first teamer in 2006 and 2007 (unanimous), was the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year in 2007 and Pac-10 Morris Trophy winner in 2006 and 2007. Defensive end Lawrence Jackson was an All-Pac-10 first teamer in 2007 and defensive end Everson Griffen was a Freshman All-American first teamer. In 2007, USC was second nationally in total defense (258.8), fourth in rushing defense (79.2) and scoring defense (15.9) and sixth in pass efficiency defense (99.7). In 2006, USC was 12th nationally in scoring defense (14.9), 17th in rushing defense (97.7), 20th in pass efficiency defense (107.9) and 23rd in total defense (293.8).

USC played in the 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Holt spent the previous 2 seasons (2004-05) as the head coach at Idaho, going 5-18. The Vandals were 3-9 in 2004 and 2-9 in 2005.

He originally joined the Trojan staff in January of 2001 and spent 3 seasons (2001-03) as the linebackers coach. In 2002, linebacker Matt Grootegoed was an All-Pac-10 first teamer. USC played in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl (USC won the national championship that year) and 2004 Rose Bowl.

He was the defensive line coach at Louisville for the previous 3 seasons (1998-2000). In 2000, the Cardinals were fourth nationally in rushing defense (79.9), set a school record for sacks with 50 (second in the nation) and were second nationally in turnovers with 38. Louisville appeared in a bowl game each season (the 1998 Motor City Bowl, 1999 Humanitarian Bowl and 2000 Liberty Bowl).

Holt, 45, came to Louisville after 8 seasons (1990-97) at Idaho. He was in charge of the defensive line for the first 5 years and then was the linebackers coach the final 3 seasons. He also served as the defensive coordinator for the last 4 of those seasons. His 1994 unit topped Division I-AA in run defense (and was fifth in 1995).

He began his coaching career in 1986 as an assistant at St. Mary's High in Stockton (Calif.). He then was a graduate assistant at UNLV in 1987 before becoming the Rebels' linebackers coach the following 2 seasons (1988-89).

He lettered 4 years (1981, 83-85) at linebacker for Pacific. He was an All-American honorable mention selection in 1985, when he also earned All-AP West Coast and All-Pacific Coast Athletic Association notice. He was Pacific's MVP in 1985 and a team captain as a junior and senior.

He earned his bachelor's degree in political economics from Pacific in 1986.

He played football and baseball at Bellarmine Prep in San Jose, Calif.

He was born Oct. 15, 1962. He and his wife, Julie (who was the head women's basketball at Nevada Reno, Pacific, Gonzaga, Idaho and Los Angeles Harbor Junior College), have 2 sons, Nick, 13, and Ben, 9.

His maternal grandfather was Clarence "Buster" Crabbe, USC's first All-American swimmer (1931) who was a 1931 NCAA freestyle titlist and 1932 Olympic gold medalist (he won a bronze in 1928) before starring in Hollywood as Tarzan, Flash Gordon and Buck Rogers.

TODD McNAIR
Running Backs
Special Teams Coordinator

Former NFL player Todd McNair, a one-time NFL running back and assistant coach, is in his fourth year at USC. He joined the Trojan staff in February of 2004. He also took on the additional duty of special teams coordinator beginning in 2005.

In 2007, he was named one of the nation's top 5 recruiters by CBS Sportsline.com and in 2006 he was picked as one of the country's top 25 recruiters by Rivals.com.

In 2005, tailback Reggie Bush won the Heisman Trophy and Doak Walker Award, was a unanimous All-American, was the Player of the Year by AP, Walter Camp and the Touchdown Club of Columbus and was the Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Year. Bush joined fellow tailback LenDale White as the first pair of USC runners to eclipse 1,000 yards rushing in a season. Bush was the second pick of the 2006 NFL draft and White was a second rounder, while fullback David Kirtman was a fifth round choice. USC was sixth nationally in rushing offense (260.0) in 2005 and averaged a national-best 6.4 yards per carry. He was named the nation's third-best recruiter by Rivals.com in 2005.

In 2004, Bush finished fifth in the Heisman Trophy balloting, was an All-American and was the Pac-10 Co-Offensive Player of the Year. The Trojans won the national championship.

USC played in the 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

He spent the previous 3 seasons (2001-03) coaching the running backs for the Cleveland Browns.

McNair, 42, began his coaching career as the offensive coordinator at Camden (N.J.) High in 1998 and 1999, then handled similar duties at Schalick High in Pittsgrove, N.J., in 2000.

He was a running back and special teams standout for 8 seasons in the NFL, first with the Kansas City Chiefs for 5 years (1989-93), followed by 2 seasons (1994-95) with the Houston Oilers and then back with the Chiefs in 1996. In his career, he ran for 803 yards with 3 touchdowns, caught 252 passes with 7 scores and averaged 18.6 yards on kickoff returns. He retired as the Chiefs' No. 10 all-time receiver.

He lettered 4 years (1985-88) as a running back at Temple, where he was a 1987 All-American honorable mention selection. He ended up third on the school's all-time rushing list with 2,383 yards and 16 TDs. As a junior in 1987, he ran for 1,058 yards with 6 scores.

He prepped at Pennsauken (N.J.) High. Among his prep teammates were future NFL players John and Keith Taylor and David and Billy Griggs (the Griggs were his cousins).

He was born on Aug. 16, 1965. He and his wife, Lynnette, have 3 daughters—Logan, 13, Daryn, 8, and Thai, 3—and newborn son Todd Jr.

JOHN MORTON
Passing Game Coordinator
Wide Receivers

John Morton, formerly an assistant coach with the New Orleans Saints and Oakland Raiders, joined the USC staff in February of 2007 as the wide receivers coach and passing game coordinator.
USC played in the 2008 Rose Bowl.

Morton, 38, was an offensive assistant in 2006 with the New Orleans Saints, assisting in the passing game and other facets of game preparation on offense. The Saints advanced to the 2006 NFC Championship game.

In 2005, he was the passing game and wide receivers coach at the University of San Diego. The Toreros went 11-1 and won the Pioneer Football League championship.

He spent the previous 8 seasons (1997-2004) in several capacities with the Oakland Raiders, including 2004 as tight ends coach. He was a senior offensive assistant in 2002, when Oakland played in the Super Bowl, and 2003. Among the players he coached were Jerry Rice and Tim Brown. He began with the Raiders in 1997 working in the personnel department.

Morton originally signed with Oakland as an undrafted rookie wide receiver in 1993 and spent part of the next 2 seasons (1993-94) on the Raiders practice squad. He also spent time with Green Bay in 1993, was in training camp with the Jacksonville Jaguars in 1995 and with the Raiders again in 1996. He played for the CFL's Toronto Argonauts in 1995 and 1996, then with the World League's Frankfurt Galaxy in the spring of 1997.

He played at Western Michigan for 2 seasons (1991-92), where he finished 10th on the school's career receiving list (78 catches) and eighth in receiving yards (1,278). He won All-Mid-American Conference honors as a 1992 senior. He received a bachelor's degree in general studies from Western Michigan in 1997.

He came to Western Michigan after 2 years (1989-90) at Grand Rapids (Mich.) Community College. He received his associate's degree from there in 1990.

He was an All-League receiver at Avondale High in Auburn Hills (Mich.).

Born on Sept. 24, 1969, he and his wife, Shannon, have 2 daughters, Tierney Rose, 4, and newborn Sage Marie.

KEN NORTON JR.
Linebackers

Ken Norton Jr., one of the premier linebackers in NFL and collegiate history, is in his fourth year on the USC staff, including his third as a full-time assistant working with the linebackers (he was promoted in February of 2005). He spent his first year at USC as a graduate assistant (helping with the linebackers) after joining the Trojan staff in February of 2004.

In 2006, linebacker Keith Rivers was an All-American first teamer. In 2006 and 2007, Rivers and linebacker Rey Maualuga made the All-Pac-10 first team. Linebackers Dallas Sartz (fifth round) and Oscar Lua (seventh round) were selected in the 2007 NFL draft.

In 2005, Maualuga was a Freshman All-American first teamer.

In 2004, linebackers Matt Grootegoed and Lofa Tatupu were named All-American first teamers (Grootegoed also was a Butkus Award finalist and Tatupu was a NFL second round pick). The Trojans won the national championship.

USC played in the 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Norton Jr., 41, spent 13 years playing in the NFL, first with the Dallas Cowboys for 6 seasons (1988-93) and then 7 years with the San Francisco 49ers (1994-2000). The All-Pro and Pro Bowl selection is the only player in history to play on 3 consecutive Super Bowl-winning teams (the Cowboys in 1992 and 1993 and the 49ers in 1994).

After retiring from the NFL, he was a radio and television commentator and analyst, including on the NFL Network.

He also served as the defensive coordinator at Hamilton High in Los Angeles in 2003.

He was the Cowboys' second round NFL draft pick in 1988 after earning All-American honors at UCLA in 1987. He lettered 4 seasons (1984-87) with the Bruins and was a finalist for the 1987 Butkus Award. He earned his bachelor's degree in sociology from UCLA in 1998.

He prepped at Westchester (Calif.) High.

Born Sept. 29, 1966, he and his wife, Angela, have 3 children: daughters Brittney, 20, and Sabrina, 12, and son Ken III, 10. His father, Ken Sr., is the former world heavyweight boxing champion and played football at Northeast Missouri State.

PAT RUEL
Offensive Line

Pat Ruel, who has 34 years of college and NFL coaching experience, is in his third year at USC. He joined the Trojan staff in February of 2005 and works with the offensive line.

In 2007, offensive tackle Sam Baker was named an All-American first teamer for the third consecutive year (becoming just the third Trojan to do so), offensive guard Chilo Rachal made the All-Pac-10 first team and center Kristofer O'Dowd was a Freshman All-American first teamer.

In 2006, Baker was named an All-American first teamer for the second year in a row, while center Ryan Kalil—a Rimington Award finalist and the Pac-10 Morris Trophy winner—also was an All-American first team pick (he was a second round pick in the 2007 NFL draft).

In 2005, Baker and offensive guard Taitusi Lutui were All-American first teamers and Kalil was on the All-Pac-10 first team. Lutui and offensive tackle Winston Justice were second round picks in the 2006 NFL draft, while offensive guard Fred Matua was a seventh rounder.

USC played in the 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Ruel, 57, spent the 2004 season as an offensive line assistant with the New York Giants.

He worked on the college level for the first 26 years of his career before moving to the NFL for the next 5 years. His coaching career began in 1973 as a graduate assistant at Miami, his alma mater. He was promoted to a fulltime assistant handling the offensive line for the Hurricanes for the following 3 years (1974-76).

He next was the assistant offensive line coach at Arkansas in 1977 (USC head coach Pete Carroll was a member of that Razorbacks' staff and the team played in the 1978 Orange Bowl).

He then spent 4 years (1978-81) at Washington State, the first 2 seasons as the offensive line coach before adding offensive coordinator duties for his final two seasons. The 1981 Cougars played in the Holiday Bowl.

He was the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach at Texas A&M for the next 3 years (1982-84), then had similar duties (along with being the assistant head coach) at Northern Illinois for 3 seasons (1985-87).

He spent the next 9 years (1988-96) at Kansas, the first 3 as the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach, then adding assistant head coach to his title the final 6 years. The Jayhawks played in the 1992 and 1995 Aloha Bowls.

After spending 1997 in private business, he then was at Michigan State for 2 years (1998-99), the first year as the offensive line coach and then adding assistant head coach duties in the second season. The Spartans played in the 2000 Florida Citrus Bowl.

He moved to the NFL in 2000 as the offensive line coach with the Detroit Lions, then spent the next 2 seasons (2001-02) as the assistant offensive line coach for the Green Bay Packers. The Packers were in the NFC playoffs both seasons. He was the offensive line coach with the Buffalo Bills in 2003 before going to the Giants.

He lettered at offensive guard for Miami in 1971 and 1972. He received his bachelor's degree in psychology from Miami in 1972.

He prepped at Coral Gables (Fla.) High, where he starred in football.

He was born on Dec. 5, 1950. He and his wife, Marti, have a daughter, Sabra, 19, currently a student at USC. His full name is Golden Pat Ruel.

STEVE SARKISIAN
Assistant Head Coach
Offensive Coordinator
Quarterbacks

Steve Sarkisian, who is in his fourth stop at USC as an assistant coach or athlete, returned to the Trojan staff in February of 2005 as the assistant head coach and quarterbacks coach. He added the offensive coordinator role in 2007. Combined, he is in his sixth year at USC.

In 2006, quarterback John David Booty made the All-Pac-10 first team as he led the league in passing efficiency and total offense.

In 2005, quarterback Matt Leinart won the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award, finished third in the Heisman Trophy voting, was a finalist for the Davey O'Brien, Maxwell and Walter Camp Awards and was an All-American first teamer. He set 16 USC records (11 were Pac-10 marks and 2 was an NCAA record). He was the 10th pick of the 2006 NFL draft. USC's 4,157 passing yards in 2005 was a school record and the Trojans were fifth nationally in passing (319.8).

Sarkisian spent the 2004 season as the quarterbacks coach with the Oakland Raiders. His quarterbacks passed for more than 4,000 yards in 2004 as Oakland ranked eighth in passing in the NFL.

Sarkisian, 33, originally joined the USC staff as an offensive assistant in January of 2001. Then, after joining San Diego State briefly as the quarterbacks coach in January of 2002, he returned to USC in March of 2002 to handle the quarterbacks fulltime for 2 seasons (2002-03).

In 2003, quarterback Matt Leinart was an All-American first teamer and was the Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Year (he finished sixth in the Heisman Trophy voting) while setting Pac-10 season records for TD passes (35) and consecutive passes without an interception (212). He also had the highest passing efficiency rating of any USC quarterback (163.2). USC won its first national championship since 1978.

In 2002, quarterback Carson Palmer won the Heisman and Unitas Award en route to setting the Pac-10 career records for passing yards and total offense (he was the No. 1 pick in the 2003 NFL draft), plus he was an All-American first teamer.

USC played in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl, 2004 Rose Bowl, 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Sarkisian spent the 2000 season as the quarterbacks coach at El Camino Junior College in Torrance (Calif.). His quarterback, Robert Hodge, earned All-American honors. El Camino played in the CHIPs For Kids Bowl.

Sarkisian starred at the quarterback position at the prep, collegiate and pro levels. He was with the Saskatchewan Roughriders of the Canadian Football League for 3 seasons (1997-99). He started in 1999 and threw 16 touchdowns.

He had a record-setting 2-year (1995-96) career at BYU, where he was coached by former USC assistant Norm Chow. He completed 549-of-824 passes (66.6%) for 7,755 yards and 55 TDs in his career. His 162.0 career passing efficiency rating is third on the all-time NCAA list. As a senior in 1996, he led the nation in passing efficiency (173.6, the seventh best mark ever) as the Western Athletic Conference champion Cougars went 14-1 and won the 1997 Cotton Bowl. He was the WAC Offensive Player of the Year in 1996, won All-American second team honors and played in the East-West Shrine Game and Hula Bowl. As a 1995 junior, he made the All-WAC team and led BYU to the WAC title. Against Fresno State that season, he set an NCAA game completion percentage record when he hit 31-of-34 passes (91.2%).

He came to BYU from El Camino Junior College, where he starred for 2 seasons (1993-94). He was a J.C. All-American first teamer as a 1994 sophomore and won All-Mission Conference honors in 1993 as a freshman. He also played baseball (shortstop) at El Camino in 1993.

He actually began his college career at USC, spending the fall of 1992 on the Trojan baseball team before transferring to El Camino.

He was a standout football and baseball player at West Torrance (Calif.) High.

He earned his bachelor's degree in sociology from BYU in 1997 after getting his associate's degree in general studies from El Camino in 1994.

He was born March 8, 1974. He and his wife, Stephanie, have a 4-year-old daughter, Ashley, and a son, Brady, 2.

ROCKY SETO
Secondary

Former USC linebacker Rocky Seto is in his ninth year on the USC staff, including his fifth as a full-time assistant. He took over the handling of the secondary in 2006 after being in charge of the linebackers in 2004 and 2005 and the safeties in 2003.

In 2007, safety Taylor Mays was an All-American first teamer and safety Kevin Ellison made the All-Pac-10 first team.

In 2006, safety Taylor Mays was a Freshman All-American first teamer and the Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year.

In 2005, linebacker Rey Maualuga was a Freshman All-American first teamer. Safety Darnell Bing was a fourth round pick in the 2006 NFL draft.

In 2004, linebackers Matt Grootegoed and Lofa Tatupu were named All-American first teamers (Grootegoed also was a Butkus Award finalist and Tatupu was a NFL second round pick). The Trojans won their second consecutive national championship.

In 2003, Bing was a Freshman All-American first teamer. Troy won its first national championship since 1978.

He spent the previous 2 years (2001-02) as a Trojan graduate assistant, the first year working with the defense in general and then handling the safeties in 2002 (where he worked with All-American first teamer and NFL first rounder Troy Polamalu).

He spent the 2000 season as an administrative graduate assistant with the USC program. In 1999, he was a volunteer assistant, working with the defense and special teams.

USC played in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl, 2004 Rose Bowl, 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Seto, 31, was a linebacker at USC for 2 seasons (1997-98). After spending 1997 as a walk-on, he earned a scholarship for the 1998 season. He was awarded USC's Black Shirt (scout team) Defensive Player of the Year Award in 1998.

He transferred to USC from Mt. San Antonio Junior College in Walnut (Calif.), where he was a fullback and defensive end in 1995 and 1996. His coach at Mt. San Antonio was ex-USC All-American offensive guard Bill Fisk.

He prepped at Arcadia (Calif.) High, where he was on the football and track teams.

He earned his bachelor's degree in exercise science from USC in 1999 after getting his associate's degree in general studies from Mt. San Antonio in 1997. He then earned his master's degree in public administration from USC in 2001.

Born March 12, 1976, his wife's name is Sharla (she played soccer at USC under her maiden name of Sharla Chiang, including on the Women of Troy's 1998 Pac-10 championship squad). They have 2 daughters, Kaylani, 1, and newborn Mia.

DAVID WATSON
Defensive Line

David Watson is in his third year on the Trojan staff, but his second as a full-time assistant working with the defensive line (he was promoted in February of 2006). He spent his first year at USC as an offensive line graduate assistant after joining the staff in February of 2005.

Defensive tackle Sedrick Ellis was an All-American first teamer in 2006 and 2007 (unanimous), was the Pac-10 Defensive Player of the Year in 2007 and Pac-10 Morris Trophy winner in 2006 and 2007. Defensive end Lawrence Jackson was an All-Pac-10 first teamer in 2007 and defensive end Everson Griffen was a Freshman All-American first teamer.

In 2005, offensive guard Taitusi Lutui and offensive tackle Sam Baker were All-American first teamers and they joined center Ryan Kalil on the All-Pac-10 first team. Lutui and offensive tackle Winston Justice were second round picks in the 2006 NFL draft, while offensive guard Fred Matua was a seventh rounder.

USC played in the 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

He spent 2004 as a defensive graduate assistant at Michigan State.

He began his coaching career at Southwest Minnesota State, a Division II school. He was a graduate assistant working with the defensive line in 2002, then became a fulltime assistant in 2003 handling the defensive line and linebackers, as well as being the front 7 coordinator.

Watson, 31, played defensive end at both Minnesota and Western Illinois. He began at Minnesota for 3 years (1994-96). He earned Academic All-Big Ten honors as a freshman in 1994, then took medical redshirts because of injuries in both 1995 (knee) and 1996 (foot). He then transferred to Division I-AA Western Illinois for 3 years (1997-99), where he was an All-Gateway Conference selection each seasons. He earned All-American first team honors in 1998 and honorable mention notice in both 1997 and 1999. He set Western Illinois records for season (41) and career (72) tackles for loss. The Leathernecks advanced to the NCAA Division I-AA quarterfinals in 1997 and semifinals in 1998.

He earned his bachelor's degree in liberal arts from Western Illinois in 2001.

He was a 3-sport (football, basketball, baseball) star at Bloomington (Minn.) Jefferson High. He was the Minnesota Gatorade Player of the Year in football in 1993.

He was born on Aug. 16, 1976. He and his wife, Lesley, have a newborn son, Iain.

DEMETRICE MARTIN
Secondary Graduate Assistant

Demetrice Martin, who came to USC from the junior college coaching ranks, is in his second year on the Trojan staff as a graduate assistant working with the secondary. He joined the Trojan staff in May of 2006.

In 2007, safety Taylor Mays was an All-American first teamer and safety Kevin Ellison made the All-Pac-10 first team.

In 2006, safety Taylor Mays was a Freshman All-American first teamer and the Pac-10 Co-Freshman of the Year.

USC played in the 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Martin, 34, spent the previous 3 seasons (2003-05) as the pass defense coordinator and secondary coach at Mt. San Antonio Junior College in Walnut (Calif.). The Mounties played in the National Bowl in 2003 and 2004. One of his defensive backs, Darryl Moore, earned All-American honors.

He was the secondary coach at Pasadena (Calif.) City College in 2001 and 2002. The Lancers went 18-4 during that time, winning the Mission Conference title both seasons while appearing in the 2001 Southwestern Bowl and 2002 Potato Bowl. Safety James Griffin was an All-American. He also spent 2001 as a part-time assistant at Muir High in Pasadena.

Martin served as Pasadena CC's interim head coach in January and February of 2006 before taking the USC job.

He began his coaching career at Monrovia (Calif.) High, working with the defensive backs and wide receivers for 2 seasons (1999-2000).

Martin was a 4-year (1992-95) letterman at Michigan State, first as a wide receiver and then at cornerback. He was an All-Big Ten first team pick in 1994 when he led the conference in interceptions with 7. He was an All-Big Ten second teamer in 1995. He had 10 interceptions in his career. The Spartans played in the 1993 Liberty Bowl and 1995 Independence Bowl.

He then signed as a free agent with the St. Louis Rams in 1996 and served briefly on their practice squad that year. He was with the Scottish Claymores of NFL Europe in 1997, then played 2 seasons (1998-99) with the Arena Football League's Houston Thunderbears before suffering a career-ending knee injury.

He prepped at Muir High, where he was on the football, baseball and track teams. He was drafted by the Atlanta Braves in baseball, but elected to play football at Michigan State.

He earned his bachelor's degree in liberal arts from Excelsior College in Albany (N.Y.) in 2006.

He was born Feb. 28, 1973. He and his wife, Tiffany, have a son, Cole, 2, and a newborn daughter, Kori.

His brother, Jason, was a cornerback at Idaho.

YOGI ROTH
Quarterbacks Graduate Assistant

Yogi Roth, who spent the past 2 years (2005-06) as a video assistant with the USC football program, is in his first year on the Trojan staff as a graduate assistant working with the quarterbacks.

USC played in the 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose.

Roth, 26, came to USC after spending 2004 as a sports broadcaster. He was an analyst on college football and basketball telecasts on Fox Sports Net Pittsburgh and served as the sideline reporter and pre- and post-game host for Pittsburgh football radio broadcasts.

He was a wide receiver at Pittsburgh for 4 seasons (2000-03), originally a walk-on who earned a scholarship as a junior and became a part-time starter with 15 career receptions. He twice won Big East All-Academic honors. While at Pitt, he interned in the Pittsburgh mayor's and state representative's offices and with FSN Pittsburgh and was an academic tutor in the athletic department. He also spent the spring of 2004 studying in Australia and Bali.

He earned his bachelor's degree in communication and rhetoric from Pittsburgh in 2004 and a master's degree in communication management from USC in 2006.

He starred in 4 sports (football, basketball, baseball and track) at Lackawanna Trail High in Dalton, Pa. He twice was named All-State in football and was the Pennsylvania Defensive Player of the Year as a senior.

He was born on Sept. 20, 1981. He is single. His maternal grandparents were Holocaust survivors and his mother is an Israeli immigrant.

CHRIS CARLISLE
Strength and Conditioning Coach

Chris Carlisle is in his seventh year as USC's head strength and conditioning coach. He joined the Trojan program in February of 2001.

He was named the 2006 National Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coach of the Year by the Professional Football Strength and Conditioning Coaches Society.

USC played in the 2001 Las Vegas Bowl, 2003 Orange Bowl, 2004 Rose Bowl, 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl. The Trojans won national championships in 2003 and 2004.

He came to USC from Tennessee, where he was the associate head strength and conditioning coach for 3 years (1998-2000). The Volunteer football team won the 1998 national title and Southeastern Conference championship.

Carlisle, 45, began his career as the head football coach and strength coach at Dodge (Neb.) High in 1985. He then spent 6 seasons (1986-91) as an offensive line coach and strength coach at Blytheville (Ark.) High. He next was a strength and conditioning graduate assistant coach at Arkansas for 2 years (1992-93) before becoming the head football coach and strength coach at Subiaco (Ark.) Academy, a college prep school, for 4 seasons (1993-96). He spent 1997 as an offensive line coach and strength coach at Trinity Valley Community College in Athens, Tex. (Trinity was the NJCAA national champion that season).

After playing offensive line at North Iowa Area Community College in Mason City, Ia., in 1980, he was a 3-year (1981-83) starting offensive lineman at Chadron (Neb.) State College, earning All-Area honors.

He earned his bachelor's degree in education from Chadron State in 1985 and a master's degree in history from Arkansas in 1997.

He prepped at Mason City (Ia.) High, where he starred in football.

He was born on Aug. 7, 1962. He and his wife, Louon, have a son, Alex, 6.

He learned he had Hodgkin's Disease in December of 2000, began radiation treatments in Tennessee (where he was still the Volunteers' associate strength and conditioning coach), was hired by USC in February of 2001, kept his illness a secret except to Trojan head coach Pete Carroll, continued treatments in Tennessee and at USC/Norris Comprehensive Cancer Center and Hospital, then doctors told him in the summer of 2001 that the cancer was in remission. He informed the USC players of his ordeal at the start of fall 2001 camp. He was 1 of 17 nominees for the 2003 Most Courageous Award presented by the Football Writers Association of America and was 1 of 11 nominees for the 2005 award.

He is assisted by Jamie Yanchar, Charr Gahagan, Bryan Bailey, Ivan Lewis, Tatyana Obukhova and Brent Metz.

DENNIS SLUTAK
Director of Football Operations

Dennis Slutak is in his fifth year at USC, including his third as director of football operations after spending his first 2 seasons (2003-04) as a graduate assistant working with the special teams. He joined the Trojan staff in July of 2003.

In 2004, punter Tom Malone was an All-Pac-10 first teamer, while placekicker Ryan Killeen set the USC and Pac-10 career records for PATs and PAT attempts and the USC career points record. The Trojans won their second consecutive national championship.

In 2003, Malone was an All-American first teamer (USC's first punter so honored) who set the school record for season punting average (49.0), while Killeen set the Pac-10 season record for PATs (65) and tied the Trojan season mark for field goals (19). Troy won its first national championship since 1978.

USC played in the 2004 Rose Bowl, 2005 Orange Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2006 Rose Bowl (BCS Championship Game), 2007 Rose Bowl and 2008 Rose Bowl.

Slutak, 35, has 12 years of coaching experience and was involved with special teams each season.

He began his coaching career as an assistant at Lincoln High in Tallahassee (Fla.) in 1993 and 1994. He also was there during the 1995 and 1997 spring practices. He tutored prep All-American Mark Mariscal, who went on to win the 2002 Ray Guy Award (nation's top punter) as an All-American at Colorado.

He then became an assistant at Lehigh for 3 seasons (1995-97). Punter Ben Talbott earned NCAA Division I-AA All-American first team honors in 1996 (and was an All-Patriot League first teamer in 1995 and 1996).

He spent the next 2 seasons (1998-99) as the special teams coordinator at Santaluces High in Lantana (Fla.). He also taught mathematics and physical education at Jefferson Davis Middle School.

He then was a graduate assistant for 2 seasons (2000-01) at North Carolina State, involved with the special teams. In 2001, Adam Kiker was the Atlantic Coast Conference's most accurate field goal kicker. The Wolfpack played in the 2000 Micronpc.com Bowl and the 2001 Tangerine Bowl.

He returned to Santaluces High in 2002 as the special teams coordinator (and he also resumed teaching at the middle school) before coming to USC.

He has served as an instructor at various kicking camps from 1994 to 2002.

He was a walk-on punter at Florida State in 1990 (the Seminoles won the inaugural Blockbuster Bowl).

He earned his bachelor's degree in education from Florida State in 1995 and his master's degree in liberal studies (athletic administration and management) from North Carolina State in 2002.

He prepped at Forest Hill High in West Palm Beach (Fla.), where he played football.

Born May 30, 1972, he is single.

2007 USC GAME SUMMARIES

GAME 1 – September 1, Los Angeles Coliseum
USC 38, Idaho 10
Att: 90,917

Idaho	**0**	**3**	**0**	**7**	**—**	**10**
USC	**14**	**7**	**17**	**0**	**—**	**38**

No. 1 USC began its quest for a BCS championship with a workmanlike 38-10 season-opening win over long-ago conference foe Idaho before 90,917 fans in the nearly sold-out Coliseum and an FSN national cable TV audience.

It was the first time since 1929 that the teams played and the victory raised Troy's record against the Vandals to 8-0. The win extended USC's Pac-10 record home winning streak to 34 and its victory strings for non-conference home games and September games to 11 each.

The Trojans jumped out to a 21-0 lead early in the second quarter by scoring touchdowns on their first 3 possessions: a 4-yard run by TB **Stafon Johnson** (on the extra point attempt, USC was charged with a delay of game penalty when it took the field without a kicker in honor of 2006 PK Mario Danelo, who died in a tragic fall in January), followed by TD passes from QB **John David Booty** to TB **C.J. Gable** (8 yards) and WR **Vidal Hazelton** (1 yard, on a spectacular 1-handed grab). Idaho got on the board just before halftime on a 20-yard field goal by PK Tino Amancio.

USC then scored 3 more times in the third quarter on a 3-yard Booty pass to FB **Stanley Havili**, Johnson's 1-yard run and a 36-yard field goal by PK **David Buehler**. Idaho added a 1-yard scoring run by RB Jayson Bird late in the game against the Trojan backups.

USC dominated the statistics, getting more total yards (420 to 253) and first downs (24 to 14). Idaho managed just 98 rushing yards and converted only 4 of 17 third downs, but the Vandals won the turnover battle (getting 3 to USC's 1).

Booty completed 21-of-32 passes for 206 yards with the 3 TDs (but threw a pick) in 3 quarters of action. Gable led Troy with 68 yards on 8 carries and Johnson added 64 yards on 12 tries. Havili (22 yards) and WR **David Ausberry** (46 yards) each had 5 receptions, while Hazelton added 4 for 44 yards. LB **Keith Rivers** had a team-best 6 tackles and S **Taylor Mays** added 5. DE **Kyle Moore** had a fumble recovery after getting a sack and LB **Clay Matthews** blocked a field goal try.

For Idaho, QB Nathan Enderle was 16-of-34 for 155 yards in his first start, while RB Deonte Jackson rushed for 99 yards on 22 carries, WR Max Komar had 5 catches for 28 yards and S Shiloh Keo had 2 interceptions.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – S. Johnson 4-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC – Gable 8-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

USC – Hazelton 1-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
ID – Amancio 20-yard field goal

Third Quarter

USC – Havili 3-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – S. Johnson 1-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC –Buehler 36-yard field goal

Fourth Quarter

ID – Bird 1-yard run (Amancio kick)

USC	STATISTICS	IDAHO
24	First Downs	14
214	Net Yards Rushing	98
206	Net Yards Passing	155
34	Passes Attempted	35
22	Passes Completed	16
2	Had Intercepted	0
77	Total Plays	67
420	Total Yards	253
2/43.0	Punts/Avg	8/43.0
2/1	Fumbles-Lost	1/1
3/25	Penalties/Yards	6/55
32:34	Time of Possession	27:26

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – Jackson (ID) 22-99; Gable (USC) 8-68; S. Johnson (USC) 12-64; Reed (USC) 5-36; Bird (ID) 5-36; McKnight (USC) 6-26.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 21-32-206; Enderle (USC) 16-34-155; McDonald (USC) 1-2-0; Nooy (ID) 0-1-0.

RECEIVING – Ausberry (USC) 5-46; Komar (UD) 5-28; Havili (USC) 5-22; Williams (ID) 4-52; Hazelton (USC) 4-44; Smith (ID) 3-51; Davis (USC) 2-49; Walker (USC) 2-22; Lumbala (D) 2-22; Jackson (ID) 2-2.

GAME 2 – September 15, Lincoln, Nebraska
USC 49, Nebraska 31
Att: 84,959

USC	**7**	**14**	**21**	**7**	**—**	**49**
Nebraska	**7**	**3**	**0**	**21**	**—**	**31**

No. 1 USC used a powerful ground attack—behind TB **Stafon Johnson's** career-high 144 yards on just 11 carries—to dominate at No. 14 Nebraska, 49-31, and help head coach **Pete Carroll** celebrate his 56th birthday in high style on a chilly evening before a crowd of 84,949 (it was the 284th consecutive sellout in Lincoln's Memorial Stadium) and a national ABC-TV audience.

It was the most points Nebraska had surrendered at home since 1945. USC, which averaged just 128.0 rushing yards per game in 2006, ran for 313 yards in the game (its most since getting 403 versus UCLA in 2005 and the most allowed by Nebraska since 2003) and averaged 8.2 yards per carry (a Nebraska opponent record). The Trojans broke off 11 runs of at least 10 yards, including a 50-yarder by FB **Stanley Havili** on Troy's first play of the game and a 40-yarder by TB **C.J. Gable** on its second play. Johnson's total was the most by a Trojan since Reggie Bush ran for 260 in that 2005 UCLA game. He was named Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week.

USC—coming off a bye—scored on its opening possession as Havili caught a 5-yard scoring pass from QB **John David Booty**. But Nebraska forged a 10-7 lead after a 1-yard TD run by RB Cody Glenn late in the first quarter and a 37-yard field goal by Alex Henery on NU's next possession midway through the second quarter.

However, USC then went on a 35-point scoring spree on its next 5 possessions. First, Havili followed Henery's field goal with a 2-yard scoring run and then Johnson had a 7-yard TD run late in the half. The Trojans intercepted QB Sam Keller on the Cornhuskers' first 2 drives of the second half (by CB **Terrell Thomas** and DE **Kyle Moore**) and converted both miscues into touchdowns: Booty's 2-yard pass to TE **Anthony McCoy** and a 1-yard run by TB **Chauncey Washington**. Washington then capped USC's next possession with another 1-yard scoring run.

Nebraska took advantage of a Trojan fumble early in the fourth quarter as Glenn had another 1-yard TD run, but USC responded on the ensuing series with TB **Allen Bradford's** 6-yard touchdown run.

The Cornhuskers made the scorer closed when they recorded a pair of late Keller scoring passes to WR Todd Peterson (20 and 18 yards) against USC's reserves.

Gable rushed for 69 yards on only 4 carries, Havili added 52 yards on 2 attempts and caught 3 passes for 22 yards and Washington had 43 yards on 12 carries. Booty was 19-of-30 for 144 yards and no interceptions. LB Keith Rivers had a game-high 10 tackles, while LB **Kaluka Maiava** and CB **Cary Harris** added 7 stops each.

For Nebraska, Keller was 36-of-54 for 389 yards, including 7 completions for 80 yards to WR Maurice Purify. It was the most passing yards USC surrendered since Oregon State had 485 in 2003. RB Marlon Lucky ran for 33 yards on 17 carries and added 6 catches for 41 yards. The Cornhuskers ran for just 31 yards on 28 attempts. Nebraska had more plays (82-68) than USC, but less total yards (457-420).

It was USC's first visit to Lincoln since 1969 and the Trojans were the first top-ranked team to play in Memorial Stadium since 1978. ESPN's College GameDay pre-game show was at the stadium.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Havili 5-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
NEB – Glenn 1-yard run (Henery kick)

Second Quarter

NEB – Henery 37-yard field goal
USC – Havili 2-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC – S. Johnson 7-yard run (Buehler kick)

Third Quarter

USC – McCoy 2-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – C. Washington 1-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC – C. Washington 1-yard run (Buehler kick)

Fourth Quarter

NEB – Glenn 1-yard run (Henery kick)
USC – Bradford 6-yard run (Buehler kick)
NEB – Peterson 20-yard pass from Keller (Hill pass from Keller)
NEB – Peterson 18-yard pass from Keller (Keller pass failed)

USC	STATISTICS	NEBRASKA
22	First Downs	28
313	Net Yards Rushing	31
144	Net Yards Passing	389
30	Passes Attempted	54
19	Passes Completed	36
0	Had Intercepted	2
68	Total Plays	82
457	Total Yards	420
4/41.0	Punts/Avg	6/37.7
5/1	Fumbles-Lost	0/0
10/102	Penalties/Yards	6/45
29:02	Time of Possession	30:58

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – S. Johnson (USC) 11-144; Gable (USC) 4-69; Havili (USC) 2-52; C. Washington (USC) 12-43; Lucky (NEB) 17-33; Glenn (NEB) 8-20.

PASSING – Keller (NEB) 36-54-389; Booty (USC) 19-30-144.

RECEIVING – Purify (NEB) 7-80; Lucky (NEB) 6-41; Peterson (NEB) 5-74; Nunn (NEB) 4-57; Swift (NEB) 4-56; Glenn (NEB) 4-46; Davis (USC) 3-38; Ausberry (USC) 3-35; Turner (USC) 3-24; Havili (USC) 3-22.

GAME 3 – September 22, Los Angeles Coliseum
USC 47, Washington State 14
Att: 86,876

Washington State	**7**	**0**	**7**	**0**	**—**	**14**
USC	**14**	**13**	**13**	**7**	**—**	**47**

TE **Fred Davis** caught 2 of QB **John David Booty's** 4 TD passes as No. 1 USC steamrolled Washington State, 47-14, in both teams' Pac-10 opener before 86,876 fans in the Coliseum and a national ABC-TV audience.

It was USC's 35th consecutive home win and 24th straight Pac-10 home victory (both extended league records) and kept the Trojans unbeaten in their past 13 September games.

Davis caught 9 passes for 124 yards, both career highs (the yardage was the most ever by a USC tight end and the receptions were 1 shy of the USC tight end record set in 1996), with scoring grabs of 6 yards on the game's opening drive and 14 yards in the second quarter.

After WSU tied the game at 7-7 on a 3-yard pass from QB Alex Brink to TE Jed Collins on its first possession, USC scored 27 unanswered points. First FB **Stanley Havili** had a 1-yard TD run late in the first quarter (it drizzled throughout the quarter), then PK **David Buehler** sandwiched a pair of second quarter field goals (23 and 29 yards) around Davis' second touchdown grab. TB **Chauncey Washington** then culminated USC's first drive of the second half with a 7-yard TD scamper.

The Cougars responded on their next series, as Brink hit WR Michael Bumpus on a 20-yard touchdown throw. But USC answered right back as Booty hit TB **Allen Bradford** on a 4-yard scoring pass late in the third quarter. Booty then finished the game's scoring on USC's next drive as he hit WR **Vidal Hazelton** with a 20-yard scoring strike early in the fourth quarter.

Booty completed a career-best passes as he was 29-of-36 (80.6%) for 289 yards (he completed 18 of his first 20 throws). WR **Patrick Turner** had 7 catches for 74 yards and Hazelton had 6 for 47 yards. Washington had a game-high 84 yards on 11 carries, while TBs **Joe McKnight** (7 carries) and **Stafon Johnson** (9 carries) each added 48 rushing yards.

LB **Keith Rivers** had a game-best 14 tackles, the most in a game by a Trojan since Lofa Tatupu's 14 against Oregon State in 2003. DE **Kyle Moore** had an interception, his third takeaway in as many games. DE **Lawrence Jackson** had 2 sacks.

USC dominated the statistics, getting more total yards (509 to 247) and first downs (28 to 15) while converting 8-of-11 third downs to WSU's 8-of-18 and holding the ball 33:02. The Trojans did not have to punt. Troy's 509 yards of total offense was its most since gaining 574 yards against Texas in the 2006 Rose Bowl.

Washington State came into the game averaging 475.7 total yards and 37.0 points. Brink was 17-of-31 for 165 yards, while Collins (21 yards) and WR Charles Dillon (25 yards) each had 5 catches.

It was the 1,100th game in USC history.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Davis 6-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
WSU – Collins 3-yard pass from Brink (Abdollmohammadi kick)
USC – Havili 1-yard run (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

USC – Buehler 23-yard field goal
USC – Davis 14-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – Buehler 29-yard field goal

Third Quarter

USC – C. Washington 7-yard run (Buehler kick)
WSU – Bumpus 20-yard pass from Brink (Abdollmohammadi kick)
USC – Bradford 4-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick missed)

Fourth Quarter

USC – Hazelton 20-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

USC	STATISTICS	WASH ST.
28	First Downs	15
197	Net Yards Rushing	64
312	Net Yards Passing	183
39	Passes Attempted	43
31	Passes Completed	21
2	Had Intercepted	1
73	Total Plays	70
509	Total Yards	247
0/0.0	Punts/Avg	6/38.7
0/0	Fumbles-Lost	1/0
8/61	Penalties/Yards	5/35
33:02	Time of Possession	26:58

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – C. Washington (USC) 11-84; McKnight (USC) 7-49; S. Johnson (USC) 9-48; McCall (WSU) 5-35; Tardy, WSU) 11-27.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 29-36-289; Brink (WSU) 17-31-165; Rogers (WSU) 4-11-18; Sanchez (USC) 2-3-23.

RECEIVING – Davis (USC) 9-124; Turner (USC) 7-74; Hazelton (USC) 6-47; Dillon (WSU) 5-25; Collins (WSU) 5-21; Frischknecht (WSU) 4-18; Gibson (WSU) 3-81; Bumpus (WSU) 3-31.

GAME 4 – September 29, Seattle, Washington
USC 27, Washington 24
Att: 68,654

USC	**0**	**17**	**7**	**3**	**—**	**27**
Washington	**0**	**14**	**0**	**10**	**—**	**24**

No. 1 USC survived a sloppy performance to get by 3-touchdown underdog Washington, 27-24, on a chilly, damp day in Seattle in front of 68,654 loud and a national ABC-TV audience.

The Trojans committed 16 penalties (for 161 yards)—USC's most since getting penalized 16 times against UCLA in 1999—and had 3 turnovers, a blocked punt and a missed field goal, plus 3 starters left with injuries (including a pair of offensive linemen on the same play).

After a scoreless first quarter (when USC had 7 penalties), Washington got on the board first after recovering a Trojan fumble as QB Jake Locker ran for a 10-yard score. USC responded quickly, with QB **John David Booty** finding WR **Patrick Turner** for a 23-yard score. The Trojans scored on their next possession.on TB **Stafon Johnson's** 8-yard run. But UW S Mesphin Forrester picked off a Booty pass on Troy's following series and returned it for a 54-yard score. However, USC PK **David Buehler** nailed a 22-yard field goal just before the half to give USC a 17-14 lead.

The Trojans moved further ahead late in the third quarter on a 2-yard scoring run by TB **Chauncey Washington**, but the Huskies responded with a 37-yard field goal by PK Ryan Perkins to pull within a touchdown early in the fourth quarter. Buehler hit his second field goal of the game, a 33-yarder, with 3:01 to play to seemingly seal the win, but the Huskies blocked a Trojan punt and Locker scored with 34 seconds to go on a 1-yard run (USC recovered the ensuing onside kick).

USC had 460 yards of total offense (including 224 rushing) to UW's 190 yards (just 90 passing). Troy also had more first downs (20 to 15), plays (76 to 61) and possession time (34:51 to 25:09) and allowed the Huskies to convert just 4-of-13 third downs.

Johnson (122 yards on 14 carries) and Washington (106 yards on 21 tries) each ran for 100-plus yards and a touchdown, the first Trojan duo to eclipse 100 yards since Reggie Bush and LenDale White did so against UCLA in 2005. Booty was 20-of-37 for 236 yards, but was intercepted twice. Turner had a game-high 6 catches for 87 yards. On defense, LB **Rey Maualuga** had a game-best 10 tackles, LB **Thomas Williams** had 6 stops and an interception and CB **Terrell Thomas** forced and recovered a fourth quarter fumble and recovered the late onside kick.

For Washington, Locker was 13-of-28 passing for 90 yards with a pick and also led UW with 50 yards on 18 carries.

It was USC's first night game against the Huskies in Seattle. It was also Troy's 14th consecutive September victory. Washington wore throwback blue jerseys to commemorate its 1960 national title team.

SCORING

Second Quarter

WASH – Locker 10-yard run (Perkins kick)
USC – Turner 23-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – S. Johnson 8-yard run (Buehler kick)
WASH – Forrester 54-yard interception return (Perkins kick)
USC – Buehler 22-yard field goal

Third Quarter

USC – C. Washington 2-yard run (Buehler kick)

Fourth Quarter

WASH – Perkins 37-yard field goal
USC – Buehler 33-yard field goal
WASH – Locker 1-yard run (Perkins kick)

USC	STATISTICS	WASHINGTON
20	First Downs	15
224	Net Yards Rushing	200
236	Net Yards Passing	90
37	Passes Attempted	28
20	Passes Completed	13
2	Had Intercepted	1
76	Total Plays	61
460	Total Yards	190
5/30.6	Punts/Avg	7/37.4
1/1	Fumbles-Lost	3/1
16/161	Penalties/Yards	9/64
34:51	Time of Possession	25:09

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – S. Johnson (USC) 14-122; C. Washington (USC) 21-106; Locker (WASH) 18-50; Rankin (WASH) 12-39.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 20-37-236; Locker (WASH) 13-28-90.

RECEIVING – Turner (USC) 6-87; Davis (USC) 4-72; Reed (USC) 4-46; Reece (WASH) 4-15; Russo (WASH) 3-36; Ausberry (USC) 3-20.

GAME 5 – October 6, Los Angeles Coliseum
Stanford 24, USC 23
Att: 85,125

Stanford	**0**	**0**	**7**	**17**	**—**	**24**
USC	**3**	**6**	**7**	**7**	**—**	**23**

Unranked Stanford, a 41-point underdog playing with a second-string quarterback making his first start, stunned No. 2 USC, 24-23, on a game-winning fourth down TD pass with less than a minute to play in the Coliseum to snap the Trojans' Pac-10 record 35-game home winning streak before 85,125 fans and a Versus national cable audience.

It was USC's first loss in the Coliseum since a Stanford victory in 2001 (it also ended Troy's league-record 24-game Pac-10 win streak). It was Stanford's first win over a No. 1-ranked team (USC was first in the ESPN poll and second by AP) since a 1990 win over Notre Dame and its first over a Top 5 squad since defeating Texas in 2000. It snapped the Cardinal's 5-game losing streak to USC. Stanford game into the game with a 1-3 record and had been outscored in its 3 Pac-10 games, 141-51.

Sophomore QB Tavita Pritchard, who had thrown only 3 career passes and got the unexpected start after QB T.C. Ostrander suffered a seizure earlier in the week, hit WR Mark Bradford on a 10-yard scoring pass with 49 seconds to play on a fourth-and-goal play. Earlier in the drive, he completed a fourth-and-20 pass to WR Richard Sherman.

Bradford's TD was the last of 17 points that Stanford scored in the final quarter after trailing 16-7. First, the Cardinal answered a 63-yard USC scoring pass from QB **John David Booty** to TE **Fred Davis** late in the third quarter (which followed an interception by S **Taylor Mays**) by driving 75 yards, culminating with a 1-yard TD run by RB Anthony Kimble on the first play of the fourth quarter. USC responded on its ensuing series, with Booty hitting WR **Ronald Johnson** on a 47-yard scoring pass. But Stanford drove 61 yards on its next series to get a 26-yard field goal by PK Derek Belch with 5:43 to play to pull within 23-17. Booty was intercepted on USC's next possession, setting up the Cardinal's 45-yard game-winning drive. USC got the ball back, but Booty was intercepted on fourth down at midfield to seal the upset.

USC led 9-0 at halftime on a 34-yard field goal by PK **David Buehler** midway through the first quarter and a 1-yard TD run by TB **Chauncey Washington** midway through the second quarter (but Buehler's PAT kick was blocked). The Trojans threatened again at the end of the half, but Washington was stopped short on fourth-and-goal from the 1-yard line. Stanford got on the board early in the second half when SS Austin Yancy returned a Booty interception 31 yards for a TD.

USC outgained the Cardinal, 459 total yards (just 95 rushing) to 235, but had 5 turnovers, surrendered 4 sacks, was called for 8 penalties and converted just 7-of-19 third downs and 1-of-3 fourth downs. USC's 4 interceptions were its most in a game since throwing 4 at Stanford in 1992 and its 5 turnovers were its most in a game since having 5 at Arizona State in 2000.

Booty, who fractured the tip of the middle finger on his right (throwing) hand in the second quarter but continued to play, was 24-of-40 for 364 yards, but threw those 4 interceptions. It was the most picks thrown by a Trojan since Rodney Peete threw 4 against Auburn in the 1987 Florida Citrus Bowl. WR **Patrick Turner** had 9 catches for 83 yards and Davis caught 5 passes for 152 yards (upping his school game record for receiving yards by a tight end). Washington had a game-best 75 yards on 23 rushes.

Pritchard was 11-of-30 for 149 yards, while Bradford had 5 receptions for 87 yards.

LB **Rey Maualuga** led the Trojans in tackles with 10, while DT **Sedrick Ellis** had 3 sacks.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Buehler 34-yard field goal

Second Quarter

USC – C. Washington 1-yard run (Buehler kick blocked)

Third Quarter

STAN – Yancy 31-yard interception return (Belch kick)

USC – Davis 63-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

Fourth Quarter

STAN – Kimble 1-yard run (Belch kick)

USC – R. Johnson 47-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

STAN – Belch 26-yard field goal

STAN – Bradford 10-yard pass from Pritchard (Belch kick)

USC	STATISTICS	STANFORD
19	First Downs	16
95	Net Yards Rushing	86
364	Net Yards Passing	149
41	Passes Attempted	30
24	Passes Completed	11
4	Had Intercepted	1
79	Total Plays	69
459	Total Yards	235
4/40.8	Punts/Avg	8/42.9
1/1	Fumbles-Lost	0/0
8/80	Penalties/Yards	7/65
32:08	Time of Possession	27:52

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – C. Washington (USC) 23-75; Dennis (USC) 7-34; Kimble (STAN) 17-32; Stewart (STAN) 7-29; Pritchard (STAN) 14-27.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 24-40-364; Pritchard (STAN) 11-30-149.

RECEIVING – Turner (USC) 9-83; Davis (USC) 5-152; Bradford (STAN) 5-87; Hazelton (USC) 4-58; Sherman (STAN) 3-45; Reed (USC) 3-13.

GAME 6 – October 13, Los Angeles Coliseum
USC 20, Arizona 13
Att: 84,671

Arizona	**0**	**10**	**3**	**0**	**—**	**13**
USC	**7**	**3**	**0**	**10**	**—**	**20**

No. 10 USC rebounded from its stunning home loss to Stanford the previous week by scoring 10 unanswered fourth quarter points to post a 20-13 comeback win over heavy underdog Arizona before a sold-out crowd of 84,671 fans in the Coliseum and an ABC-TV regional audience.

The victory was sparked by the fourth-quarter heroics of a pair of young Trojans, sophomore QB **Mark Sanchez** and true freshman TB **Joe McKnight**. McKnight's 45-yard punt return set up Sanchez's 25-yard TD pass to TE Fred Davis on the ensuing play early in the final quarter to give USC a 17-13 lead. It was the first career TD pass by Sanchez, who was making his first-ever start because QB **John David Booty** was sidelined with a broken finger. Then, with USC backed up deep in its territory late in the game, McKnight jetted 59 yards to help set up PK **David Buehler's** 23-yard field goal with 57 seconds to play.

USC had opened up a 10-0 lead on TB **Chauncey Washington's** 18-yard scoring run late in the first quarter and Buehler's 27-yard field goal midway through the second quarter (after DT **Sedrick Ellis** recovered a Wildcat fumble).

But Arizona scored the next 13 points, first on a 1-yard run by QB Willie Tuitama and then a pair of field goals by PK Jason Bondzio (a 28-yarder late in the half following an interception and then a 45-yarder on the Wildcats' first possession of the second half).

Both teams struggled offensively. USC managed just 276 yards of total offense (its fewest since getting 205 against California in 2004). The Trojans had just 12 yards in the second quarter and only 50 in the third quarter. USC's 130 passing yards were its fewest since getting 87 against Penn State in 2000. But Arizona managed just 255 total yards (well under its average of 392.8), including only 100 in the second half. The Wildcats, who ran for just 22 yards, had only 13 first downs, converted just 3-of-14 third downs, held the ball only 26:54 and ran off just 59 plays.

Sanchez was 19-of-31 for 130 yards, McKnight had 128 all-purpose yards (including 75 on 13 carries), Washington added 54 yards on 17 rushes and Davis caught 6 passes for 63 yards.

Tuitama completed 30-of-43 passes for 233 yards, including 12 to WR Mike Thomas for 83 yards.

S **Kevin Ellison** led USC with 9 tackles.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – C. Washington 18-yard run (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

USC – Buehler 27-yard field goal

ARIZ – Tuitama 1-yard run (Bondzio kick)

ARIZ – Bondzio 28-yard field goal

Third Quarter

ARIZ – Bondzio 45-yard field goal

Fourth Quarter

USC – Davis 25-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)

USC – Buehler 23-yard field goal

USC	STATISTICS	ARIZONA
19	First Downs	13
146	Net Yards Rushing	22
130	Net Yards Passing	233
31	Passes Attempted	43
19	Passes Completed	30
2	Had Intercepted	0
74	Total Plays	59
276	Total Yards	255
7/36.6	Punts/Avg	7/48.0
1/0	Fumbles-Lost	5/3
5/35	Penalties/Yards	8/55
33:06	Time of Possession	26:54

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – McKnight (USC) 13-75; C. Washington (USC) 17-54; Jennings (ARIZ) 7-16; Grigsby (ARIZ) 7-10.

PASSING – Tuitama (ARIZ) 30-43-233; Sanchez (USC) 19-31-130.

RECEIVING – Thomas (ARIZ) 12-83; Davis (USC) 6-63; Jennings (ARIZ) 5-68; Reese (ARIZ) 5-28; Hazelton (USC) 3-24; Turner (USC) 3-21; Dean (ARIZ) 3-8; Havili (USC) 3-4.

GAME 7 – October 20, South Bend, Indiana
USC 38, Notre Dame 0
Att: 80,795

USC	**7**	**10**	**14**	**7**	**—**	**38**
Notre Dame	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**0**

QB **Mark Sanchez** threw 4 touchdown passes to help No. 13 USC score its most decisive win ever in the 79-game series with Notre Dame and post its first shutout in South Bend since 1933, 38-0, before a sold-out crowd of 80,795 fans and a national NBC-TV audience.

It was USC's sixth consecutive victory over ND, Troy's longest in the series, and the Trojans have scored at least 34 points in each of those wins. It was Notre Dame's worst home loss since 1956.

Sanchez, making just his second career start for an injured **John David Booty**, hit 21-of-38 passes for 245 yards (all career bests) with no interceptions. His scoring passes were 10 yards to TE **Fred Davis** late in the first quarter (following CB **Vincent Joseph's** recovery of a fumbled Irish punt return), 8 yards to TB **Allen Bradford** late in the second quarter, 5 yards to FB **Stanley Havili** early in the third quarter (after LB **Keith Rivers** recovered a fumble on ND's second play of the half) and 48 yards as WR **Vidal Hazelton** zigzagged into the end zone on Troy's next possession of the third quarter.

USC also got a 30-yard field goal by PK **David Buehler** just before halftime and a 51-yard TD run by TB **Joe McKnight** early in the fourth quarter.

The Trojans dominated the statistics, getting 462 total yards and 24 first downs while limiting the Irish to 165 total yards (just 48 rushing), 10 first downs and 4-of-17 third down conversions. USC got 3 turnovers, had 7 sacks, forced 10 punts and blocked a field goal (by LB **Clay Matthews**). In the first half, Notre Dame managed just 103 yards of total offense (22 rushing) and 4 first downs while converting just 1-of-8 third downs and holding the ball just 10:59.

McKnight had a game-high 65 yards on 7 carries, while TB **Chauncey Washington** added 64 yards on 12 tries and TB **Stafon Johnson** had 47 yards on 8 attempts. Davis caught a game-high 5 passes for 40 yards and WR **Patrick Turner** added 4 grabs for 42 yards.

LB **Luthur Brown** and DE **Kyle Moore** led USC with 6 tackles each, while LB **Rey Maualuga** and DE **Alex Morrow** each had 2 sacks and DT **Sedrick Ellis** added 1.5 sacks. S **Kevin Ellison** had an interception.

For Notre Dame, QB Evan Sharpley was 17-of-33 for 117 yards in his first career start, RB Armando Allen ran for 58 yards on 11 tries and WR Duval Kamara (33 yards) and TE John Carlson (28 yards) each had 4 receptions. Notre Dame, which fell to 1-7 (its worst start since 1960), wore throwback green jerseys to commemorate the 30th anniversary of its green jersey victory over USC in 1977.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Davis 10-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

USC – Bradford 8-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)
USC – Buehler 30-yard field goal

Third Quarter

USC – Havili 5-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)
USC – Hazelton 48-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)

Fourth Quarter

USC – McKnight 51-yard run (Buehler kick)

USC	STATISTICS	NOTRE DAME
24	First Downs	10
227	Net Yards Rushing	48
230	Net Yards Passing	117
38	Passes Attempted	33
21	Passes Completed	17
0	Had Intercepted	1
74	Total Plays	63
462	Total Yards	165
7/31.7	Punts/Avg	10/45.0
2/1	Fumbles-Lost	2/2
8/52	Penalties/Yards	2/20
30:15	Time of Possession	29:45

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – McKnight (USC) 7-65; C. Washington (USC) 12-64; Allen (ND) 11-58; S. Johnson (USC) 8-47; Havili (USC) 6-31.

PASSING – Sanchez (USC) 21-38-235; Sharpley (ND) 17-33-117.

RECEIVING – Davis (USC) 5-40; Turner (USC) 4-42; Kamara (ND) 4-33; Carlson (ND) 4-28; Hazelton (USC) 3-80; Ausberry (USC) 3-28; Havili (USC) 3-18; Parris (ND) 3-15; Yeatman (ND) 3-14.

GAME 8 – October 27, Eugene, Oregon
Oregon 24, USC 17
Att: 59,277

USC	**0**	**3**	**7**	**7**	**—**	**17**
Oregon	**7**	**3**	**7**	**7**	**—**	**24**

TB Jonathan Stewart ran for a pair of touchdowns and FS Matthew Harper intercepted a pair of passes to help No. 5 Oregon hold off No. 9 USC, 24-17, on a cool afternoon before a sold-out crowd of 59,277 noisy fans in Autzen Stadium (a stadium and state record) and a national FSN cable TV audience.

The outcome kept the Ducks alive in the national championship hunt and virtually eliminated Troy.

USC's defense, ranked in the Top 10 nationally in every statistical category, held the Ducks' highly-ranked spread offense—which was averaging 46.6 points and 550.9 total yards—to its lowest output of the year (339 yards). But the Trojans had 3 costly second-half turnovers (leading to 14 points by Oregon), some crucial penalties (6 for 80 yards, including a holding call that negated a 65-yard first quarter TD run by TB **Joe McKnight**) and some key missed opportunities (USC WR **Brad Walker** recovered a Duck fumble at the Oregon 21-yard line on the opening kickoff, but Troy couldn't score, and then USC got to the Oregon 9 in the second quarter after another fumble recovery, but managed just a field goal).

Oregon QB Dennis Dixon, who completed 16-of-25 passes for 157 yards and ran for another 76 yards on 17 carries while running a no-huddle offense, got the Ducks on the board first on a 2-yard scamper late in the first quarter. Early in the second quarter, LB **Rey Maualuga** recovered a fumbled Oregon punt return, but USC had to settle for a 30-yard field goal from PK **David Buehler**. The Trojans defense stiffened twice in the second quarter, first stopping Oregon on downs on the USC 13 and then late in the first half limiting the driving Ducks to a 41-yard field goal by PK Matt Evensen.

USC tied the game at 10-10 on the opening possession of the second half, as QB **Mark Sanchez** hit WR **Patrick Turner** for a 9-yard score. But Oregon then capitalized on a pair of Trojan miscues, as Stewart first ran for a 16-yard TD after the Ducks recovered a fumble deep in USC territory late in the third quarter and then he went 1 yard early in the fourth quarter to cap a 58-yard drive after Harper picked off Sanchez at the Ducks' 16.

USC drove 85 yards and scored on a 14-yard Sanchez pass to WR **David Ausberry** with 4:44 to play to pull within a touchdown. The Trojans got the ball back and were driving at the Oregon 33 before Harper's pick ended Troy's hopes.

USC had 378 yards of total offense, with Sanchez throwing for 277 yards while completing 26-of-41 aerials. WR **Vidal Hazelton** had a game-high and career-best 8 catches for 88 yards and Turner added 7 for 107 yards. TB **Chauncey Washington** had 42 yards on 11 carries, while McKnight rushed for 34 yards on 10 tries and caught 4 passes for 30 yards.

Five Trojans were in double figures for tackles: LB **Keith Rivers**, DT **Sedrick Ellis** (2 for a loss) and S **Taylor Mays** each had 12, while Maualuga and DE **Lawrence Jackson** each had 11.

For Oregon, Stewart had 103 yards on 25 carries for the Ducks and TE Ed Dickson caught 5 passes for 69 yards.

It was the first meeting of AP Top 10 teams in Autzen Stadium history and the highest rated Oregon team USC had ever faced.

SCORING

First Quarter

ORE – Dixon 2-yard run (Evensen kick)

Second Quarter

USC – Buehler 30-yard field goal
ORE – Evensen 41-yard field goal

Third Quarter

USC – Turner 9-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)
ORE – Stewart 16-yard run (Evensen kick)

Fourth Quarter

ORE – Stewart 1-yard run (Evensen kick)
USC – Ausberry 14-yard pass from Sanchez (Buehler kick)

USC	STATISTICS	OREGON
18	First Downs	22
101	Net Yards Rushing	182
277	Net Yards Passing	157
42	Passes Attempted	25
26	Passes Completed	16
2	Had Intercepted	0
75	Total Plays	72
378	Total Yards	339
5/36.4	Punts/Avg	5/36.4
1/1	Fumbles-Lost	2/2
6/80	Penalties/Yards	1/5
30:59	Time of Possession	29:01

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – Stewart (ORE) 25-103; Dixon (ORE) 17-76; C. Washington (USC) 11-42; McKnight (USC) 10-34.

PASSING – Sanchez (USC) 26-41-277; Dixon (ORE) 16-25-157.

RECEIVING – Hazelton (USC) 8-88; Turner (USC) 7-107; Dickson (ORE) 5-69; McKnight (USC) 4-30; Havili (USC) 3-10.

GAME 9 – November 3, Los Angeles Coliseum
USC 24, Oregon State 3
Att: 85,713

Oregon State	**0**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**3**
USC	**3**	**21**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**24**

No. 13 USC used a stingy defense that recorded 9 sacks and a 21-point scoring barrage in less than 8 minutes late in the second quarter to defeat Oregon State, 24-3, before a Homecoming crowd of 85,713 fans in the sold-out Coliseum and an ABC-TV regional audience.

The win, the 750th in Trojan history, was Troy's 21st in a row over the Beavers in the Coliseum (dating to 1963) and kept head coach **Pete Carroll** undefeated in November (21-0). The crowd was the largest to ever see a USC-OSU game.

After the teams traded field goals—a 47-yarder by USC PK **David Buehler** late in the opening quarter and a 22-yarder by PK Alexis Serna after the Beavers recovered a Trojan fumble deep in USC territory early in the second quarter—Troy went on a scoring blitzkrieg. First, TB **Chauncey Washington** scored on a 1-yard run on USC's ensuing possession after Serna's field goal. Then, Washington scored on a 26-yard catch-and-run of a pass from QB **John David Booty**, who was making his first appearance after missing 3 games with a broken finger. Then, CB **Terrell Thomas** intercepted a pass on OSU's next scrimmage play and, 3 downs later, Booty found WR **Patrick Turner** for a 13-yard touchdown with 2:07 to go in the half to finish the game's scoring.

USC held Oregon State to just 176 total yards (91 rushing and 85 passing), 12 first downs and 3-of-17 third down conversions. At halftime, OSU had just 50 yards of total offense, with 3 first downs and 1-of-8 on third down conversions.

The Trojans made limited headway against an Oregon State defense that led the nation in rushing defense (54.5) and sacks (4.3) and was 13th nationally in total defense (299.9). USC had only 287 total yards, including 100 rushing, and 16 first downs, but gave up just 2 sacks.

Booty was 19-of-33 for 157 yards, Washington ran for 60 yards on 12 carries and caught a pair of passes for 31 yards, and WR **Vidal Hazelton** (53 yards) and TE **Fred Davis** (31 yards) each had 5 receptions.

Freshman DE **Everson Griffen** posted 3.5 sacks among his 6 tackles, while S **Kevin Ellison** had 2 sacks. LB **Keith Rivers** led USC with 7 tackles.

For the Beavers, whose 3-game winning streak was snapped, QB Sean Canfield was 11-of-25 for 85 yards, while 3 tailbacks shared their running totals (James Rodgers had 48 yards on 3 carries, Clinton Polk had 45 on 12 attempts and Matt Sieverson had 33 on 10 tries).

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Buehler 47-yard field goal

Second Quarter

OSU – Serna 22-yard field goal
USC – C. Washington 1-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC – C. Washington 26-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – Turner 13-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

USC	STATISTICS	OREGON ST.
16	First Downs	12
100	Net Yards Rushing	91
187	Net Yards Passing	85
34	Passes Attempted	28
20	Passes Completed	11
0	Had Intercepted	1
70	Total Plays	65
287	Total Yards	176
7/36.4	Punts/Avg	9/39.3
1/1	Fumbles-Lost	3/0
4/41	Penalties/Yards	4/22
29:36	Time of Possession	30:24

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – C. Washington (USC) 12-60; Rodgers (OSU) 3-48; Polk (OSU) 12-45; S. Johnson (USC) 6-37; McKnight (USC) 14-34; Sieverson (OSU) 10-33.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 19-33-157; Canfield (OSU) 11-25-85; Sanchez (USC) 1-1-30; Moevao (OSU) 0-3-0.

RECEIVING – Hazelton (USC) 5-53; Davis (USC) 5-31; McKnight (USC) 3-38; Brown (OSU) 3-22; C. Washington (USC) 2-31; Croom (OSU) 2-21; Powers (OSU) 2-13; Polk (OSU) 2-6.

GAME 10 – November 10, Berkeley, California
USC 24, California 17
Att: 72,516

USC	**7**	**7**	**3**	**7**	**—**	**24**
California	**7**	**3**	**7**	**0**	**—**	**17**

TB **Chauncey Washington** ran for a career-best 220 yards, including 64 on a game-winning 96-yard scoring drive midway through the fourth quarter, as No. 12 USC edged No. 24 California, 24-17, in a constant drizzle before a sold-out Memorial Stadium crowd of 72,516 fans in Berkeley and a regional ABC-TV audience.

It was USC's fourth consecutive win over the Golden Bears and sixth in their past 7 meetings.

Washington's rushing yardage (on 29 carries) was the most by a Trojan since Reggie Bush had 260 yards versus UCLA in 2005 (it was Washington's fourth career 100-yard outing and it surpassed his previous personal high by 101 yards). He was named Pac-10 Offensive Player of the Week.

With the score tied at 17-17 in the final quarter and the Trojans backed up to their 4-yard line, Troy marched the length of the field in 10 plays, with TB **Stafon Johnson** scoring the game winner with 7:38 to go on a 3-yard run.

Cal got on the board first when TB Justin Forsett scored on a 17-yard run midway through the first quarter to cap a 73-yard drive. But USC responded on its ensuing possession when QB **John David Booty** hit FB **Stanley Havili** on a 5-yard TD pass. After Cal PK Jordan Kay hit a 23-yard field goal midway through the second quarter, USC answered on its next drive as Washington jetted 36 yards for a score.

After S **Kevin Ellison** intercepted a pass deep in Cal territory, PK **David Buehler** hit a 28-yard field goal midway through the third quarter to put USC up by a touchdown. But Cal tied the score late in that period on a 20-yard TD pass from QB Nate Longshore to diving WR Lavelle Hawkins.

The Bears had a slight edge in total yardage (399 to 368) and first downs (25 to 19) and their 200 rushing yards was the most against USC in 2007. But Cal converted just 4-of-13 third downs and turned the ball over 3 times, including twice late in the game (besides Ellison's pick, DE **Lawrence Jackson** recovered a fumble and then CB **Terrell Thomas** had an interception). USC's 129 passing yards was its fewest since getting 87 against Penn State in 2000.

Booty completed 11-of-20 passes for 129 yards, while TE **Fred Davis** (54 yards) and WR **Vidal Hazelton** (50 yards) each had 4 receptions. S **Taylor Mays** had 10 tackles and 3 deflections (both team highs), while Ellison added 8 stops.

Forsett rushed for 164 yards on 31 carries for the Bears, Longshore hit 13-of-29 passes for 199 yards and WR DeSean Jackson had 5 grabs for 64 yards.

It was USC's first-ever night game in Berkeley. The Bears wore throwback uniforms to honor their 1975 team.

SCORING

First Quarter

CAL – Forsett 17-yard run (Kay kick)
USC – Havili 5-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

CAL – Kay 23-yard field goal
USC – C. Washington 36-yard run (Buehler kick)

Third Quarter

USC – Buehler 28-yard field goal
CAL – Hawkins 20-yard pass from Longshore (Kay kick)

Fourth Quarter

USC – S. Johnson 3-yard run (Buehler kick)

USC	STATISTICS	CALIFORNIA
19	First Downs	25
239	Net Yards Rushing	200
129	Net Yards Passing	199
20	Passes Attempted	29
11	Passes Completed	13
0	Had Intercepted	2
68	Total Plays	74
368	Total Yards	399
6/34.0	Punts/Avg	7/35.4
4/2	Fumbles-Lost	2/1
8/40	Penalties/Yards	6/50
30:19	Time of Possession	29:41

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – C. Washington (USC) 29-220; Forsett (CAL) 313-164.

PASSING – Longshore (CAL) 13-29-199; Booty (USC) 11-20-129.

RECEIVING – Jackson (CAL) 5-64; Davis (USC) 4-54; Hazelton (USC) 4-50; Hawkins (CAL) 3-53; Forsett (CAL) 2-45; Jordan (CAL) 2-36.

GAME 11 – November 22, Tempe, Arizona
USC 44, Arizona State 24
Att: 71,706

USC	**17**	**10**	**17**	**0**	**—**	**44**
Arizona State	**14**	**3**	**0**	**7**	**—**	**24**

QB **John David Booty** threw 4 touchdown passes and ran for another, DE **Lawrence Jackson** posted 4 of Troy's 6 sacks and PK **David Buehler** nailed 3 field goals to help No. 11 USC destroy No. 7 Arizona State on Thanksgiving, 44-24, before a sold-out crowd of 71,706 fans in Tempe and a national ESPN cable audience.

The victory kept alive USC's hopes for an unprecedented sixth consecutive Pac-10 title and a BCS bowl bid. It was USC's eighth straight win over the Sun Devils and upped Trojan head coach **Pete Carroll's** record in November to 23-0.

USC scored on its first 3 possessions. Booty hit WR **Vidal Hazelton** on a 4-yard pass to open the scoring early in the game, but ASU WR Rudy Burgess returned the ensuing kickoff 98 yards for a TD. USC responded with a 42-yard field goal by Buehler and then Booty connected with FB **Stanley Havili** on a 5-yard TD pass midway through the first quarter.

After ASU tied the score at 17-17 on a 4-yard TD pass from QB Rudy Carpenter to WR Michael Jones late in the first quarter and then a 25-yard field goal by PK Thomas Weber early in the second quarter, USC went on a 27-point blitzkrieg. First, Buehler nailed a 20-yard field goal with 5 minutes to play in the half and then Booty scored on a 1-yard sneak with 9 seconds to go as Troy went into halftime with a 27-17 lead. Buehler hit a 37-yard field goal to cap USC's first drive of the second half and, after Jackson sacked Carpenter and forced a fumble that DE **Everson Griffen** recovered, Booty hit TB **Joe McKnight** for a 7-yard touchdown midway through the third quarter. TE **Fred Davis** rambled 34 yards with a Booty toss for USC's final score late in the quarter.

ASU tacked on a touchdown (a 2-yard run by TB Dimitri Nance midway through the fourth quarter) after blocking a USC punt.

USC tallied the most points against Arizona State in 2007 (ASU was allowing just 18.0 points a game), outpointed the Sun Devils 17-7 in the second half (ASU had outscored opponents 177-50 in the final half), rolled up 508 yards of total offense against an ASU defense that was allowing just 318.9 yards a game and snapped the Sun Devils' streak of 12 consecutive games with a takeaway. Of USC's 8 scoring drives, 7 took less than 3 minutes and 7 were less than 60 yards.

Booty was 26-of-39 for 375 yards and no interceptions (he had 227 yards in the first half, including 139 in the first quarter on 13-of-16 passing). Davis (119 yards), McKnight (71 yards), WR **Patrick Turner** (70 yards) and Hazelton (36 yards) each had 5 receptions. TB **Chauncey Washington** ran for a game-high 80 yards on 22 carries.

The Trojan defense limited ASU to 16 rushing yards, 259 total yards and 16 first downs (all season lows for the Sun Devils). Jackson's 4 sacks equaled a school game record held by many (last set by Tim Ryan against UCLA in 1989) and his 5.5 tackles for a loss was a USC record. Jackson had 8 tackles overall. LB **Kaluka Maiava**, starting for injured LB **Keith Rivers**, had a team-best 10 tackles.

Carpenter was 21-of-30 for 240 yards, Burgess had 217 all-purpose yards (166 on 5 kickoff returns, 50 on 4 receptions and a 1-yard run) and WR Chris McGaha had 5 catches for 85 yards.

It was USC's 20th game on Thanksgiving, but its first since 1938.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – Hazelton 4-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
ASU – Burgess 98-yard kickoff return (Weber kick)
USC – Buehler 42-yard field goal
USC – Havili 5-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
ASU – Jones 4-yard pass from Carpenter (Weber kick)

Second Quarter

ASU – Weber 25-yard field goal
USC – Buehler 20-yard field goal
USC – Booty 1-yard run (Buehler kick)

Third Quarter

USC – Buehler 37-yard field goal
USC – McKnight 7-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)
USC – Davis 34-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

Fourth Quarter

ASU – Nance 2-yard run (Weber kick)

USC	STATISTICS	ARIZONA ST.
25	First Downs	16
133	Net Yards Rushing	16
375	Net Yards Passing	243
40	Passes Attempted	31
26	Passes Completed	22
0	Had Intercepted	0
77	Total Plays	66
508	Total Yards	259
3/34.7	Punts/Avg	5/32.6
1/0	Fumbles-Lost	2/1
10/74	Penalties/Yards	3/20
30:46	Time of Possession	29:14

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – C. Washington (USC) 22-80; McKnight (USC) 7-30.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 26-39-375; Carpenter (ASU) 21-30-240; Sullivan (ASU) 1-1-3; Reed (USC) 0-1-0.

RECEIVING – Davis (USC) 5-119; McGaha (ASU) 5-85; McKnight (USC) 5-71; Turner (USC) 5-70; Hazelton (USC) 5-36; Burgess (ASU) 4-50; Herring (ASU) 3-28; Jones (ASU) 3-27; Nance (ASU) 3-26.

GAME 12 – December 1, Los Angeles Coliseum
USC 24, UCLA 7
Att: 91,553

UCLA	**0**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**—**	**7**
USC	**7**	**10**	**0**	**7**	**—**	**24**

No. 8 USC—which rushed for 231 yards and limited UCLA to just 168 total yards, including only 12 on the ground, while forcing 4 turnovers—clinched its unprecedented sixth consecutive Pac-10 title and its third straight Rose Bowl berth by dominating crosstown rival UCLA, 24-7, before a sold-out Coliseum crowd of 91,553 and a national ABC-TV audience.

It was head coach **Pete Carroll's** 75th victory as Trojan coach.

The Trojans opened up a 17-0 lead in the first half behind a 5-yard scoring run by TB **Joe McKnight** midway through the first quarter after LB **Keith Rivers** forced and recovered a fumble, and then a 10-yard TD run by TB **Chauncey Washington** midway through the second quarter and a 46-yard field goal by PK **David Buehler** late in the half. UCLA scored with 7 seconds to go in the half on TE Dominique Johnson's spectacular one-handed leaping grab of a 9-yard pass from QB Pat Cowan.

Following CB **Terrell Thomas'** interception, USC scored its final TD early in the fourth quarter on a 12-yard pass from QB **John David Booty** to TE **Fred Davis**, who set the USC career record for receptions by a tight end.

USC held the ball for 37:50 and rolled up 437 total yards and 26 first downs on 85 plays while allowing UCLA just 10 first downs and 0-of-11 third down conversions on 54 plays. The Bruins punted 11 times (the most by a Trojan opponent since San Diego State had 11 in 1998) and went 3-and-out on 7 series.

Booty completed 21-of -36 passes for 206 yards, McKnight had a game-best 89 yards on 13 carries, TB **Stafon Johnson** added 73 yards on 15 attempts and Washington had 66 yards on 13 carries. Davis caught 6 passes for 41 yards, WR **Vidal Hazelton** added 5 receptions for 47 yards and FB **Stanley Havili** caught 4 passes for 66 yards.

LB **Rey Maualuga** led USC with 8 tackles, DT **Fili Moala** had 1.5 sacks and DT **Sedrick Ellis** and S **Taylor Mays** each recovered fumbles.

For UCLA, Cowan completed 13-of-24 passes for 156 yards, TB Chris Markey ran for 49 yards on 17 carries and S Dennis Keyes had 19 tackles.

SCORING

First Quarter

USC – McKnight 5-yard run (Buehler kick)

Second Quarter

USC – C. Washington 10-yard run (Buehler kick)
USC – Buehler 46-yard field goal
UCLA – Johnson 9-yard pass from P. Cowan (Forbath kick)

Fourth Quarter

USC – Davis 12-yard pass from Booty (Buehler kick)

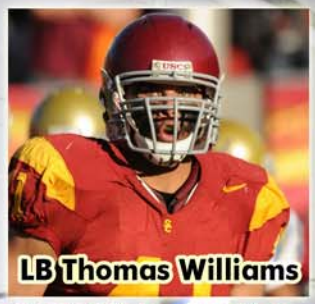
USC	STATISTICS	UCLA
26	First Downs	10
231	Net Yards Rushing	12
206	Net Yards Passing	156
36	Passes Attempted	29
21	Passes Completed	13
1	Had Intercepted	1
85	Total Plays	54
437	Total Yards	168
7/38.3	Punts/Avg	11/40.7
2/1	Fumbles-Lost	3/3
9/86	Penalties/Yards	10/86
37:50	Time of Possession	22:10

TOP INDIVIDUALS

RUSHING – McKnight (USC) 13-89; S. Johnson (USC) 15-73; C. Washington (USC) 13-66; Markey (UCLA) 17-49.

PASSING – Booty (USC) 21-36-206; P. Cowan (UCLA) 13-24-156; Olson (UCLA) 0-5-0.

RECEIVING – Davis (USC) 6-41; Hazelton (USC) 5-47; Havili (USC) 4-66; Breazell (UCLA) 4-53; Johnson (UCLA) 4-42; Austin (UCLA) 3-42; Ausberry (UCLA) 3-15; Turner (UCLA) 2-35; Markey (UCLA) 2-19.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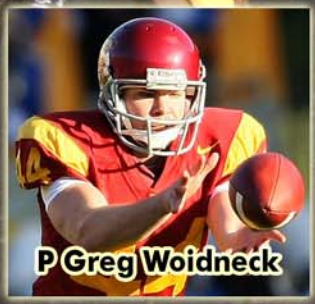
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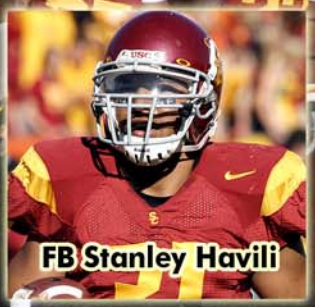
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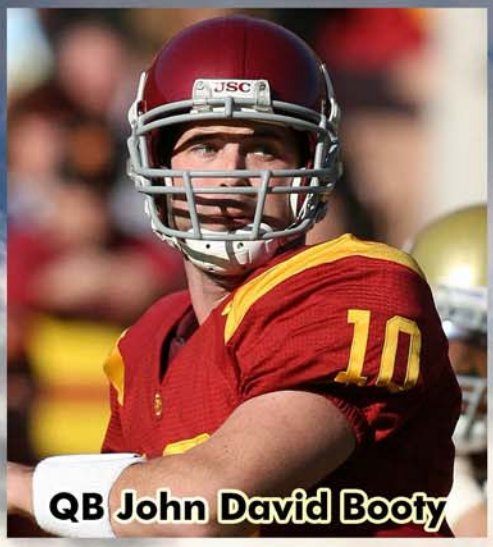

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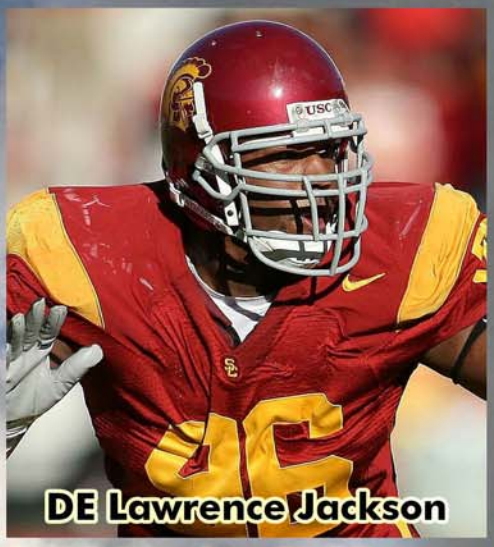

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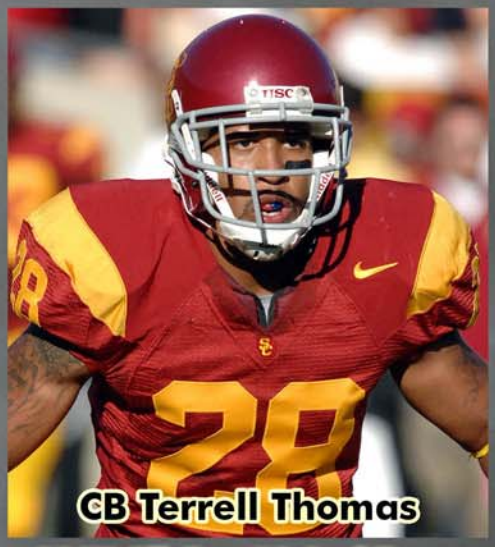

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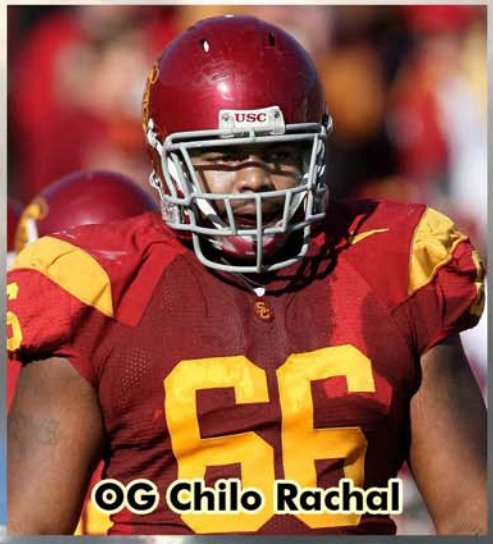

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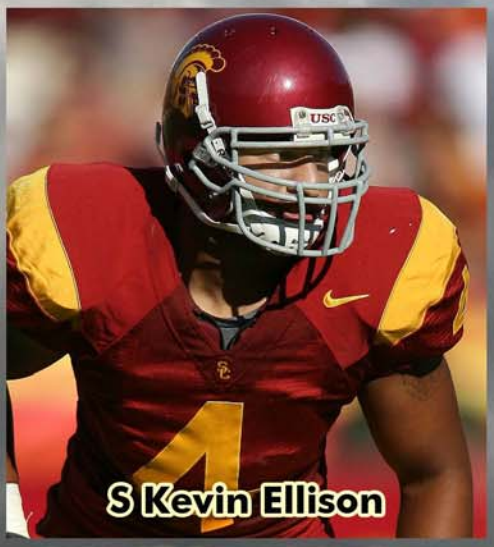

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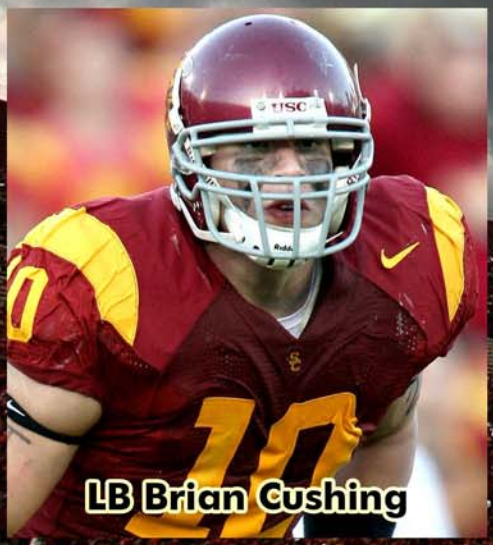

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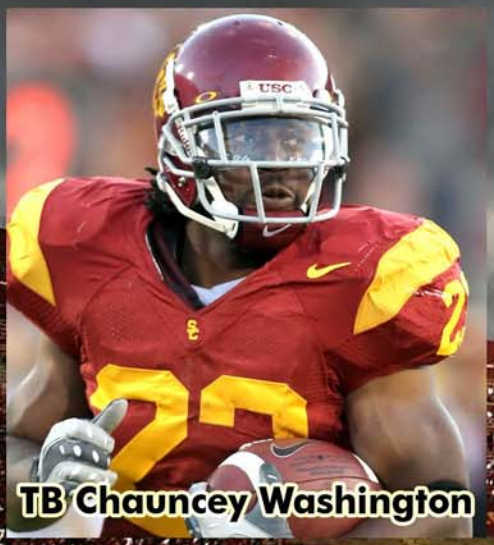

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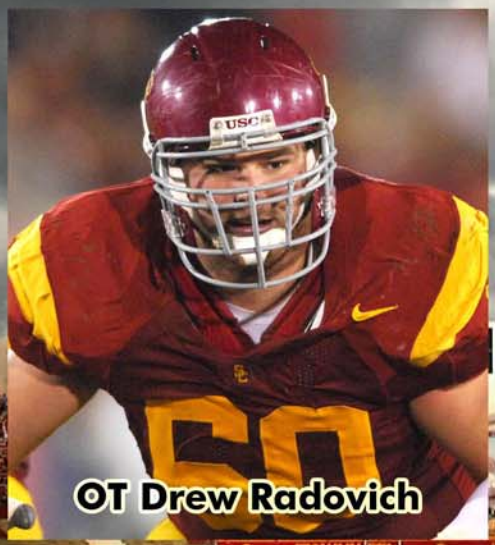

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